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CARRANZA ONCE MORE ASKS WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN EXPEDITION

Says United States Forces Are Across Border in Violation of Mexico's Sovereignty.

SENDS A 12,000-WORD NOTE

Claims the Acts of This Country Are in Contradiction of Her Words and Protests.

URGES A DEFINED POLICY

Blames Much of Mexico's Trouble on American Attitude.

Mexico City, May 31. — Claiming that the words and protests of the United States have been entirely in contradiction of their acts and that, in spite of protests not to intervene in the affairs of Mexico, soldiers of the United States are in Mexico without the consent of the Mexican government and in violation of Mexico's sovereignty, the Mexican government now asks for the immediate withdrawal of those troops. The request is made in a 12,000-word note made public at the foreign office today.

Crossed Without Permission.

The note recites that the American troops crossed the border after the Columbus incident without the permission of the Mexican government. The act was not considered one of invasion then solely because the United States said they had misinterpreted the attitude of the Mexican government. When the second expedition crossed the line after the Glenn Springs incident, the note maintains the plea that this was done with the consent of the Mexican consul at Del Rio, Texas, is untenable and that act can only be considered as one of invasion.

"The Mexican government therefore invites the United States to bring to an end this unsupportable situation," the note concludes, "and to support its protestations and declarations of friendship by an immediate withdrawal of American troops."

Maintaining that the protests of friendship by the United States and the expressed desire for non-interference has been contradicted by the acts of the Washington government, the note says the time has arrived when Washington must declare itself clearly and unequivocally as to its future intentions toward Mexico.

Contradiction of Promise.

After reciting the facts which led to the first crossing of the frontier by the American troops after the Villa raid at Columbus, the note insists that in contradiction of the word of Generals Scott and Funston another expedition crossed the boundary line, thus violating all the precepts of international law and committing an act of invasion.

"The American government," says the note, "has admitted that the work of expedition which entered after the Columbus raid is now over. But in spite of this fact, American troops still remain on Mexican soil. To contend that political disorder in this country justifies this act of the American military forces is in conflict with the repeated professions of the Washington government relative to non-interference."

The note points out that much of the trouble in Mexico is due "to the attitude of the United States in not punishing conspirators in the United States, who have plotted the downfall of the present constitutionalist government, and to acts of Washington in refusing to permit the shipment of arms and ammunition to enter Mexico."n

The note which is addressed to Secretary Lansing, reads in part as follows:

The Note in Part.

"The Mexican government has just received advices that a group of American troops have crossed the frontier and penetrated Mexican territory and are at present near a place called El Pino, some 70 miles to the south of the frontier. This newly effected passage of these troops without the consent of the Mexican government places in grave danger the harmony and good relations which ought to exist between the governments of the United States and Mexico.

"This government must consider this last act a violation of its sovereignty and thus asks in the most urgent manner that the Washington government consider with care the case and once for all, define with exactitude the policy it intends to pursue with respect to the Mexican nation. To the end of making clearer the bases upon which the petition contained in the present note is founded, it is necessary carefully to state the facts which have occurred up to this time as a result of the incursion of a band on Columbus, N. M., captained by Francisco Villa, at dawn, March 9th, last.

Mexico's Proposal.

"The Mexican government, sincerely lamenting the happening, and with the idea of efficiently protecting the frontier, proposed that the governments of Mexico and the United States celebrate an agreement by which bandits might be punished. Furthermore, the Mexican government made this proposition guided by precedents prevailing in the years 1880 and 1884, and concretely asked permission that Mexican forces might cross the American frontier in

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WILSON TO DECIDE ON KIND OF REPLY

Belief is Unanimous That Carranza's Request for Withdrawal Will Not be Granted.

NOTE NOT AN ULTIMATUM

Arredondo Explains That the Defiant Words of Carranza's Document Are Not to be Taken at Their Face Value.

Washington, May 31.—General Carranza's latest note, bluntly questioning the good faith of the United States government and, with a threat of armed resistance, demanding withdrawal of American troops from Mexico, was presented at the State Department today by Eliseo Arredondo, the Mexican ambassador designate. Tonight a translation of the voluminous document, about 12,000 words long, was laid before President Wilson who at once began considering how it should be answered.

No one in official circles would attempt to forecast just what course the President might decide upon. There was complete unanimity, however, in the belief that there would be no immediate withdrawal of the Pershing expedition. High officials said the de facto government so far has utterly failed to demonstrate its ability to protect the border against bandits, and expressed the opinion that the troops would stay in Mexico until this was done. It was suggested that the belligerent and uncompromising attitude assumed by Carranza was largely for effect upon the Mexican public and there was little disposition to believe that the de facto government actually contemplated an effort to expel the American army by force.

Mr. Arredondo left the impression that his chief did not expect the defiant words of the note to be taken at their face value, when, on handing the communication to acting Secretary Polk he gave notice that it was not intended as an ultimatum, but as a continuation of the negotiations which have been in progress between the two governments.

The new note, written before the withdrawal of the Langhorne-Sibley expedition which entered Mexico after the Boquillas raid, was brought to Washington Monday by Manuel Mendez, an attache of the Mexican foreign office. Word of its coming had been received last week but on Mendez's arrival he insisted that he knew nothing of a note and merely was in the United States on a vacation. Arredondo said late last night that he had heard nothing of a note.

Today it was explained that Mendez left Mexico City with strict instructions to keep the purpose of his visit secret even from the embassy here until he had communicated with the foreign office on reaching Washington.

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MRS. COWLES' FRIENDS ARE CLAIMING VICTORY

Say She Has Been Elected President of General Federation.

Mrs. T. W. Lingle, of North Carolina, Elected One of the Directors—Women's Dress Reform Under Discussion.

New York, May 31. — Supporters of Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, of Los Angeles, claimed tonight upon the early returns from the balloting that she had been elected president of the general Federation of Women's Clubs over Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath, of Tiffin, Ohio. The presidential election was the crowning event of the thirteenth biennial convention of the federation, which closes Friday.

Of the 2,446 delegates not more than 1,800 voted, it was asserted. Many delegates from the West and Middle West left last night for their homes, while others refrained from voting because of warm personal friendship for both candidates. Electioneering in or about the armory, where the convention sessions are held was not allowed.

There were no contests in the selection of representatives from each State to the board of directors, as required by the revision of the by-laws increasing the membership of the board from 15 to 57. The directors elected included Mrs. T. W. Lingle, of North Carolina, and Mrs. J. W. Allen, of South Carolina. Women's dress reform in all its phases was discussed at a conference of the home economics committee. Manfacturers told the audience that it is to their advantage to have a standardized street dress, and they admitted that it is possible to cut dress expense down by half and even more. Other speakers asserted that it is possible for women to dress not only well but with distinction at a cost of between $3 and $10 per dress.

CONTESTS WILL BE BROUGHT UP TODAY

Republican National Committee Will Meet in Coliseum at Chicago This Morning.

TWO DAYS OF CONVENTION

Programme for Wednesday and Thursday Announced—A. W. White, of North Carolina, Named Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

Chicago, May 31.—Members of the Republican National Committee will meet in the Coliseum tomorrow morning to hear 40 contests involving the right of 62 delegates to sit in the convention.

The committee will hold daily sessions and expects to conclude its work Saturday so that the temporary roll of delegates may be prepared by Secretary Reynolds of the National Committee. Comparatively little interest is being manifested in the contests as a majority of them are in Southern states and the result is not expected to affect seriously the chances of any of the presidential candidates.

The sub-committee of the committee on arrangements of the Republican National Committee today approved the following programme for the first two days of the convention:

First Two Days' Programme.

Wednesday, June 7—Convention called to order 11 A. M. by Charles D. Hilles, of New York, chairman of the Republican National Committee. Prayer. Call for convention read by James B. Reynolds, of Massachusetts, secretary of the Republican National Committee. Election of temporary chairman. Address of temporary chairman. Election of temporary officers. Selection of committees on credentials, permanent organization, rules and order of business and resolutions. Miscellaneous business.

Thursday, June 8—Convention called to order by temporary chairman. Prayer. Report of committee on credentials. After the convention has acted on the report of the committee on credentials, the report of the committee on permanent organization will be called for. Permanent organization of the convention. Address by permanent chairman. Report of committee on rules and order of business, action upon which by the convention will determine the order of further proceedings of the convention.

The adoption of a platform, nomination of candidates for President and Vice President, the appointment of other convention committee, the election of a national committee and the other proper business of the convention will be transacted in the order which the convention itself thereby determines.

North Carolinian Named.

Sergeant-at-Arms William F. Stone, of Baltimore, announced the appointment of 11 principal assistant seargeants-at-arms, including A. W. White, of North Carolina and Alvah H. Martin, Jr., of Virginia.

New York, Ohio, Illinois, Massachusetts, Indiana and Pennsylvania delegations will again occupy seats in the front rows nearest the platform.

Mrs. Antoinette Funk today opened headquarters for the American Woman Suffrage Association to work for the insertion of a plank declaring for Na-

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OIL MILL MEN HOLDING MEETING IN CHARLOTTE

Joint Convention of Superintendents and Exhibitors.

First Time Annual Convention of the Two Associations Has Ever Met in This State—Will Extend Over Three Days.

Charlotte, N. C., May 31.—Charlotte today welcomed for the first time in the history of the State the annual convention of the Interstate Oil Mill Superintendents' Association and of the Oil Mill Superintendent Exhibitors' Association, this being a joint gathering of the two organizations and the seventh annual coming together of the oil mill men.

The meeting will be in progress for three days, the exhibitors' association holding but one regular business session which will be held on Friday, the last day of the sessions here.

The Association of Interstate Oil Mill Men were called together this afternoon for their formal opening, President J. W. Washington, of Little Mountain, S. C., presiding. The secretary-treasurer of the association is Mr. Fred Strickland, of Anderson, S. C.

The joint convention being held here is the largest organization of oil mill men in the world, its only rival being the association of oil mill men west of the Mississippi, embracing Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and a few other Southwestern states. Each division has approximately 500 oil mills in its territory. It is estimated that there will be between 400 and 500 members and those directly interested in the various phases of the oil mill here during the convention.

The officers of the Oil Mill Superintendent Exhibitors' Association are J. W. Burruss, president, and F. C. Myers, secretary-treasurer, both of Atlanta.

DECLARES WILSON IS UNWELCOME AS A PEACE MEDIATOR

Dr. Stresemann, in Reichstag, Says Majority of Germans Would Oppose His Efforts.

IS GIVEN LOUD APPLAUSE

Speaker, However, Says Mediation of "Really Neutral Power" Would Not be Rejected.

Berlin, May 30 (via London, May 31). —Delayed—At the session of the Reichstag today Dr. Gustav Stresemann, nation-liberal, in an address rejected the idea that President Wilson would be available as a peace mediator.

"If you take a vote of the German people," said Dr. Srtsemann, "only a small minority would accept President Wilson as a mediator, after he has rendered it possible for our enemies to keep going in a military way by intensifying the possibility for the manufacture of munitions, after he has done nothing whatever to utilize the vast power of a great world state to guarantee the shipment of provisions to Germany; after we have found that he has ever raised his hand threateningly and proceeded against us with all his power when we tried to depend ourselves against the miserable starving-out war.

"We would not reject the peace mediation of a really neutral power, possibly the power of Switzerland, but President Wilson's hand we reject and we believe a great mass of German people approve our rejection of it."

The speaker's words were greeted with loud applause, mingled with shouts of disapproval from the socialists.

Herr Von Graefe, conservative, sharply attacked the government, accusing it of weakness of dealing with the United States. He was answered as sharply by Dr. Karl Helfferich, speaking for the first time as secretary of the interior.

Herr Hirsch, national-liberal, asked: "Do you believe seriously that President Wilson wants to do anything favorable to Germany?"

"You know he does not, if you recall the answer he sent to the Emperor on the subject of breaches of international law by our enemies," said Herr Hirsch, answering his own question.

PLAN FOR GOVERNMENT ARMOR PLANT APPROVED

House Agrees on Amendment for Provision of $11,000,000.

Other Amendments Provide for $3,500,000 for Aeroplanes, for $2,730 Additional Sailors and Bonus for Shipbuilders.

Washington, May 31.—Amendments to the navy appropriation bill to provide for a $11,000,000 government armor plate plant, for $3,500,000 instead of $2,000,000 worth of aeroplanes, for 2,730 additional sailors and for a bonus system to encourage the speedy private construction of warships were adopted today by the House sitting as the committee of whole.

Party lines were broken down on every vote. Twenty-three Republicans and two Progressives joined the Democrats in voting for the armor plate proposal, the final vote being 165 to 91. Thirteen Democrats lined up with the Republicans o nthe additional aeroplane amendment, which was carried 129 to 103. The bonus and increased personnel amendments were adopted overwhelmingly without roll calls.

Debate on the armor plate amendment, which already had been passed as a separate bill i nthe Senate, centered largely around the question of whether the Bethlehem Steel Company had treated the government fairly.

Representative Butler, of Pennsylvania, offered a substitute amendment looking to a settlement of the controversy between th government and private manufacturers through a federal trade commission investigation. The Butler amendment was lost 180 to 125.

The increase of 2,730 sailors in the navy personnel would be effected by removing the hospital corps from the total number of enlisted men provided by law.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at noon.

Resumed debate on Postoffice Appropriation bill.

Recessed at 5:25 P. M. to noon Thursday.

HOUSE

Met at 11 A. M.

Discussion of Naval Appropriation bill resumed.

Adjourned at 5:30 P. M. to 11 A. M. Thursday.

M'ADOO SPEAKS ON PAN-AMERICANISM

Draws Largest Crowd Ever to Attend Commencement at the State University.

TELLS OF SOUTHERN TRIP

Declares the Americas are Sounding A New Note in International Policy—Degrees Conferred Upon 115 Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., May 31.—Hon. William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, delivered the commencement address at the University today on "The Significance of a Pan-American Policy." The prominence of the speaker, combined with perfect weather, brought out the largest crowd in the history of University commencements. Over five hundred people had to be turned away. Degrees were conferred by the University upon 115 students and an honorary degree was conferred upon Secretary McAdoo.

"My recent trip through South America," began Mr. McAdoo, "has made me feel more clearly than ever before the importance of an enlightened and educated public opinion with reference to our relations to the countries of Central and South America. You and I and every intelligent citizen must, as a part of our duty towards our country, formulate a clear idea of the part that our country is called upon to play in the affairs of the American continents."

"My visit to South America has disposed of any academic notions I may have entertained about the position of the Latin American states in recent years," he continued. "The wealth and solidity of these nations, their thriving industry and evident prosperity, the splendid contributions of their thinkers and reformers to the solution of the world's most pressing social problems, the unmistakable evidence that there is being created in South America a middle class which for high standard of living and excellent balance and judgment in public matters, compares favorably with any in the world—their rich, ancient and homogenous civilization—was vividly impressed upon me at this time.

"No doubt could remain, and I am happy to say that practically no doubt does remain, in the Latin-American world, that we have sought to treat all the governments of America on a basis of equality and co-operation.

"Another aspect of our relations with Latin America is the economic and financial relations. With political independence established as a definite and final act, the next step in the progressive development of our sister republics is to secure a larger measure of economic and financial independence. The people of the United States, deeply interested in their own economic, financial and social progress, are anxious to see every nation of Latin-America move forward in precisely the same direction.

"In this great forward movement of continental progress the United States claims no position of privilege, and fully realizes that the real mission of the Americans can best be fulfilled when every country is contributing its due share to the progress of the entire continent.

Monroe Doctrine For All.

"We can now well afford to look

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HISTORICAL RESEARCH FUND IS ESTABLISHED

Provided by Gen. J. S. Carr for Work of Col. F. A. Olds.

Dean Williams of Pulitzer School of Journalism Speaks in Raleigh —McAdoo Pleased With State—Hartness Talks.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—Announcement is made of the creation of the Jule Carr Research Fund, provided by Gen. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, for furthering the work of historical research, specially as it pertains to historial data and relics of the Civil war. Along with the creation of the fund is the specification that the research work is to be done by Col. Fred A. Olds, who has been devoting much time for several years to the Hall of History, of which he is the director.

The people of Raleigh greatly enjoyed two distinguished visitors today, Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Dean Talcot Williams, of the Pulitzer School of Journalism. Dean Williams made three addresses, one for the graduating exercises of St. Augustine school, another at a dinner by the chamber of commerce and then to a big audience in the court house, the three forceful and most interesting. Mr. McAdoo spoke at the dinner and then at the public meeting, each time presenting striking phases of the Wilson administration and the prosperity that is sweeping the country. He expressed great delight at the tremendous educational plant he said he found at the University of North Carolina, which he had found to be only one of a number of splendid institutions of learning the State is maintaining. He said he was proud of North Carolina before he came on this trip but that now he is gratified beyond measure and esteems

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WAR'S END NOT TO BLOCK PROSPERITY

Secretary McAdoo Says It is Absurd to Think Our Industries Will be Seriously Affected.

MAKES SPEECH IN RALEIGH

Says Never in History Have American Trade Conditions Been so Favorable—Points to Benefits of Present Administration.

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—Present prosperity of the United States will continue after the end of the European war, Secretary McAdoo declared in an address tonight before the chamber of commerce here. He charged that persons who feared that a cessation of war orders will cause business depression either are influenced by partisan propaganda or are ignorant of the prospects for peace orders.

The secretary expressed the opinion that the proposed administration anti-dumping tariff legislation is not essential but only precautionary. He urged enactment of the ship purchase bill to make possible an extension of the trade with Central and South America and asserted that the Republican blockade of a similar measure in 1914 would prove "one of the monumental and inexplicable blunders of the time."

Overflowing Dinner Pail.

"Never in American history have conditions been so favorable to American business and American industry," said Mr. McAdoo. "We have not alone the full dinner pail, but the overflowing dinner pail.

"Agriculture, the basis of all prosperity, is experiencing a most wholesome growth. The farmers of the United States never in their history have enjoyed such splendid rewards for their toil and never before have the economic conditions and the laws already enacted by a Democratic administration so justly favored them. The rural credits bill, which will soon be passed, will provide the long time credits, at low rates of interest, so essential to the remunerative and productive development of the farming industry."

Immense Money Resources.

Mr. McAdoo declared that "nothing is more indicative of the amazing growth of the country than the condition of the banks" and added that the aggregate resources of the National banks of the United States now exceed by approximately $3,000,000,000 the combined resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the Reichsbank of Germany, the Bank of The Netherlands, the Swiss National Bank, and the Bank of Japan. "The total deposits of the national banks in March, 1916, amounted to $10,790,000,000, an increase in three months of $411,000,000 and an increase over March 1915, (one year), of $2,198,000,000," Mr. McAdoo continued.

Prosperity Will Continue.

"There are those who say that the loss of war orders after peace comes in Europe will seriously affect the industries. This is absurd. The percentage of war orders as contrasted with the entire domestic and foreign commerce of the United States is insignificant. When war orders cease—and God grant that the necessity for them may soon cease—we shall receive orders, even from Europe, for the restorative

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MRS. DENNIS EXPECTED TO MARRY V. E. INNES

They Were to Go to India and Found New Religion

This is Testimony Given by Mrs. John W. Nelms, Mother of Two Missing Women—Read Love Letters From Innes.

Atlanta, Ga., May 31.—Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis, who, with her sister Beatrice Nelms, disappeared in San Antonio, Texas, in June, 1914, went there expecting to marry Victor E. Innes and go with him to India, where they would found a new religious sect according to testimony of Mrs. John W. Nelms, mother of the missing women who again testified today in the trial here of Innes for larceny after trust of some $4,000 from Mrs. Dennis

Several witnesses who preceded Mrs. Nelms said that Innes had received approximately $2,000 from Mrs. Dennis with which the Atlanta woman expected him to purchase real estate.

Mrs. Nelms said her daughter had received many letters from Innes, the burden of which was "love, love, love," and that he frequently spoke in them of "claiming her (Mrs. Dennis) as his wife."

"He postponed the date of their marriage from time to time during 1913 and the early part of 1914," the mother said ,"until finally he wrote her to meet him in San Antonio in June, 1914 where they would be married and go to India to love."

"What were they going to do in India?" Mrs. Nelms was asked.

"Found some sort of a new religion," she replied, "but I got so sick of that in his letters that I read and that Eloise read to me that I've tried to forget it."

FRENCH IN REGION OF L'MORT HOMME TURN ON GERMANS

Capture Strongly Fortified Position on Slopes of the Hill Northwest of Verdun.

225 PRISONERS CAPTURED

Austrians Gain Further Points of Vantage From Italians in Asiago-Arsiero Sector.

The French troops northwest of Verdun, in the region of Le Mort Homme have turned on the offensive against the Germans, and in a spirited attack have captured a strongly organized position on the slopes southwest of Le Mort Homme. Seven machine guns and 225 prisoners were taken in the attack which was the only infantry fighting on Wednesday reported in the latest French official communication.

The town of Avocourt and Hill 304 in this immediate vicinity are under a heavy bombardment and shells of large calibre are being used. Bombardments also are in progress north of Verdun, from the Meuse river to Fort Vaux, and in the Hartmann's Weilerkopf region of the Vosges mountains.

On the asiago-Arsiero sector of the Austro-Italian front the Austrians have taken additional points of vantage from tth Italians and put down attempts by King Victor Emmanuel's men to recover lost ground. According to the Austrian communication, during the present offensive, they have captured 31,082 Italians and 298 cannon. The Italian war office admits the evacuation of Positions at Monte Priafora and Punta Cordin, on the Asiago plateau.

The lake region south of Dvinsk on the Russian front again is the scene of heavy bombardments, probably the prelude to more infantry fighting. Farther south, on the Volhynian front and along the Bessarabian border there is increased activity by the Teutons and Russians.

Petrograd reports the capture of a Russian position in the region of Diarbekr, but says the Russians in a counter attack ejected the invaders.

Nothing new has come through concerning the invasion of Greek Macedonia by the Bulgars and Germans, but on the extreme western part of the Balkan front the Austrians along the Voyusa river in Albania have pursued Italian patrols.

The British invasion of German East Africa continues and has reached a strongly entrenched German position between the Egare mountains and the Panagni river, where a fight seems probable.

NINETY-SEVEN NURSES PASS STATE BOARD EXAMINATION.

Names of Successful Ones Announced by Miss Lois Toomer.

Winston-Saelm, N. C., May 31.—Miss Lois Toomer, of Wilmington, secretary of the Board of Examiners of the State Nurses' Association, today announced here the name of 97 applicants who were successful in passing the examination given by the board here last week. Among the successful ones are the following:

Wilmington—Misses Mattie Lee Cutchin and Louise Livingston.

Fayetteville—Misses Dhode L. Johnson Sue Barringer, Margaret M. Hall, Blandina Biggers, Elsie V. Finch and Sophronia Edgerton.

Wilson—Misses De Ella Blythe, Margaret E. Fly, Wyatt Herndon and Mary P. Shaw.

The 97 who successfully passed the examination will be full-fledged nurses when they receive their certificates, file them with the clerks of the court and receive their license.

HILL RESIDENCE FILLED DURING FUNERAL SERVICE

Body of Pioneer Railroad Builder Buried Beside Pleasant Lake.

St. Paul, Minn., May 31. — Though it had been announced that the funeral services for James J. Hill would be private, the Summit avenue residence was filled with relatives and friends of the late railroad builder this afternoon and thousands of persons lined the nearby streets during the ceremonies.

At the conclusion of the services, the body was taken by automobile to North Oaks farm, five miles northeast of Northeast, where burial was made on the shore of Pleasant Lake.

LIEUTENANT SHACKLETON IS SAFE AT PORT STANLEY

News of the Explorer's Arrival Reached London Last Night.

London, June 1. — Lieutenant Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer, has arrived safely at Port Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The news that Lieutenant Shackleton was safe reached London shortly after midnight. The message was from the explorer himself, and announced his arrival at Port Stanley.

Newport News, Va., May 31.—The yacht Intrepid, owned by Lloyd Phenix, of New York, came into this port this afternoon in order that the owner might receive madical attention. Mr Phenix's illness is not considered serious. He has a party of friends aboard the yacht with him and his boat has been cruising in Southern waters.

BRITISH CONDUCT OF WAR DISCUSSED

Under-Secretary Tennant Replies to the Criticisms Made by Colonel Churchill.

IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Churchill in His Speech Criticized the Army Administration, Saying Too Many Troops Were at Home Doing Nothing.

London, May 31.—The vote for the salary of Earl Kitchener as secretary for war, in the House of Commons today, led to a discussion of the general conduct of the war. In introducing the vote Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war, replied to the speech made last week by Winston Spencer Churchill, in which he said the position of the British lines at several points was disadvantageous and that there were large numbers of men on duty as grooms and officers' servants who might be used to augment the fighting forces.

Mr. Tennant pointed out that a large number of men was required behind the lines to move up necessary supplies. The war office, he said, already had adopted the plan of replacing younger soldiers with older ones, although this could not be done in every case.

Servants Must Enter Fight.

As to Colonel Churchill's complaint in regard to the large number of officers' servants Mr. Tennant said these men, like all others, had to take their places in the firing line. With regard to the criticism respecting the great force of men kept at home, he explained they were being trained with a view to being sent abroad.

Mr. Tennant then referred to Colonel Churchill's recommendation that large bodies of troops be drawn from Asia and Africa, saying it was an illusion to think such a thing possible. In the first place there was not a large number of men in those regions suitable for service as soldiers in the European war and even if there were it would be impossible to procure officers who knew the languages and were able to command them. Moreover the value of black troops was a very uncertain quantity and if Colonel Churchill would look at the German papers he would see how pleased the Germans were at the idea of having these troops employed by the Allies.

In reply Colonel Churchill said that when he made his speech he had contemplated having these armies ready by September of 1917. He believed officers could learn the languages by that time.

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purposes of peace for the re-construction of ruined industries and cities, and for the relief of the stricken markets of Germany and Austria.

In addition to that, if we are in the least intelligent and enterprising, the great markets of South and Central America, which have been clamorously seeking us for the past two years, will more than offset any possible loss of war trade."

Defends Tariff Law.

Secretary McAdoo defended the Underwood-Simmons Tariff law, declaring that it transferred "a part of the burdens of taxation from the backs of the masses of the people to the ample shoulders of wealth, which had never under the Republican system borne its just proportion of the burdens of government. The Democratic system is the just system," he said. "The Republican system is the privilege system."

Delighted with his trip to Chapel Hill to deliver the commencement address for the University of North Carolina, Secretary McAdoo was charmed this afternoon with his reception and entertainment in Raleigh. In company with Mrs. McAdoo, Mr. Talcot Williams, of the Pulitzer School of Journalism, and Mrs. Josephus Daniels, they came from Chapel Hill by automobile and Mr. McAdoo and Mr. Williams were the guests of the officers of the chamber of commerce and other prominent citizens for a dinner at the Yarborough.

Opening Dance at Lumina
Saturday night. Don Richardson's Orchestra.—Advertisement.

Our 30-foot channel enables large ships to come into our port. Godwin has worked hard on that proposition.

HON. JOHN BARRETT SPEAKS

His Address at Davidson College Commencement a Treat to the Students.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Davidson, N. C., May 31.—One of the greatest treats that has come to Davidson college recently was the address yesterday morning by Hon. John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union. Mr. Barrett delivered a strong address on the subject, "The Broader Responsibility of Our Country for Young Men."

He expressed his pleasure and appreciation of the honor bestowed upon him by saying that this was one of two of the total of 25 invitations that he had received to speak at commencements. In the course of his address he complimented Davidson for the men she had sent out from her walls during the 80 years of her existence, suggesting that no one can tell just what influence the year that our honored President attended wielded to make him the man of the hour for this great land of ours.

Mr. Barrett spoke briefly of his own younger days after he had made the statement that it was not the building, endowment nor fame that means most to a college but the men. Out of colleges like this, he said, would come the men that would be leaders in the Nation. Education is the crying need of the country. Twenty years the United States was a land as it were, wrapped in swaddling clothes, now she is a world power. The Spanish war awakened this country and in a few years we caused the world to realize our position. This position leads us to the necessity of preparedness—preparedness in education.

"Although I am a thorough born Yankee, yet I have a great interest in the South," he said. "My mother taught school in the South before the War Between the States and learned many tales and traditions of the Southland which she imparted to her children and I first became interested in the South. I spent one term at Vanderbilt to learn Southern men." Because of these reasons Mr. Barrett said that he felt a peculiar interest in the South.

SUPREME COURT OPINIONS IN 30 CASES FILED YESTERDAY.

Final Batch Delivered, the Court Adjourns for the Term.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—The Supreme Court delivered a final batch of opinions disposing of 30 appeals, and adjourned for the term at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The full list of opinions follows:

Lynch vs. Johnson, Tyrrell, petition dismissed; Brown vs. Harding, Pitt, petition dismissed; Tilghman vs. Seaboard Air Line, Wake, new trial; Armour Co. vs. Laundry Co., Wake, affirmed; Carter vs. McGill, Cumberland, petition dismissed; Duke, Watts, Stagg and Cobb vs. Spray Power and Land Co., Rockingham, reversed; Oil Co. vs. Telegraph Co., Montgomery, no error; State vs. Carlson, Henderson, no error; Adicks vs. Drewry, Buncombe, affirmed; Furgeson vs. Amusement Co., Buncombe, no error; Zageir vs. Express Co., Buncombe, no error; Moore vs. Harkins, Buncombe, affirmed; State vs. Dockery, Cherokee, reversed; State and Town of Andrews vs. Davis, Cherokee, reversed; State vs. Wiggins, Graham, no error; Bryson vs. Lumber Co., Jackson, new trial; Williams vs. Hiawassee Valley Railway Co., Cherokee, no error; Advertising Co. vs. Fain & Howell, Cherokee, new trial; Reed Coal Co. vs. Fain, Cherokee, no error; Cozad vs. Johnson, Graham, reversed; Novelty Import Co., vs. Moore, Macon, no error; Terrell vs. Terrell, Orange, affirmed; Ballard vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, Gaston, affirmed; Beaufort County Lumber Co. vs. Cottingham, petition dismissed; Stewart vs. Stephenson, motion for certiorari allowed and motion dismiss denied; Poe vs. Lennon, motion to dismiss appeal denied; Burris vs. Harrell, Anson, petition to rehear dismissed; Thurston vs. Southern Railway Co., motion allowed for judgment on mandate from United States Supreme Court.

HISTORICAL RESEARCH FUND IS ESTABLISHED

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this State in the very front rank of American progress.

J. A. Hartness, here tonight in the roundup of his campaign, said he has finished a visitation to every county in the State, having talked personally to Democrats in each of them, and that he believes there will be but one primary for Secretary of State and he would be the nominee.

In making this statement he says he feels that he is sufficiently informed to know his own strength and that of his opponents.

BRITISH SOLDIER EXCHANGING HATS WITH A RUSSIAN.

How well the British fraternize with the new Russian soldiers in France is illustrated in this photograph of a Cold Stream guardsman exchanging his cap for that of a Russian. This photograph was taken in Paris before Russian soldiers, recently sent to France, were moved to the battle line.

W. B. MOORE IS AGAINST IDEA OF MEETING KNIFE

Preferred Tanlac to Operation—States: "I Gained 9 Pounds and Work Every Day."

One of the strongest evidences of the rapidly growing popularity of Tanlac and of the wonderful results it is accomplishing is in the large number of letters that are being received daily from well known men and women throughout North Carolina.

Among recent letters received was one from W. B. Moore, well known man of Dortch's, near Rocky Mount. It reads:

Rocky Mount, N. C., 5-22-'16.

Mr. E. H. Drum,
Greensboro, N. C.

Dear Sir:—About a year ago my doctor said I had a tumor and must be operated on. This I did not do—not in love with the hospital and knife. A month ago I consulted another physician and he took me to a hospital and had an X-ray examination, and put me to bed and 'phoned my wife to come, as I had cancer, and must be operated on. They told me of it, and tried to make me agree and stay, but I did not.

My friends of Franklin County so strongly advised taking Tanlac that I bought two bottles.

That was May 2d. I have gained nine pounds, am resting well, working every day, eat and sleep like a well man.

My neighbors are as delighted as my wife at the remarkable change. I have advised many of my friends to take Tanlac, and all are satisfied with the results from it. My brother in Wilson County is as staunch a friend of Tanlac as I am.

I trust the benefit I have had so far may be permanent.

Yours very thankfully.
(Signed) W. B. MOORE.
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There can be no doubt that the doctors are mistaken in the case. However, like the writer hopes, his relief may prove permanent. His testimonial forcefully illustrates Tanlac's qualities as a reconstructive tonic—appetizer, blood and system purifier and invigorant. Mr. Moore tells how he is able to get general results from the proper amount of food, rest and assimilation of food and good sleep, through this wonderful new medicine.

Tanlac is sold exclusively in Wilmington by the Bellamy Drug Store; Burgaw, C. L. Halstead; Southport. There is a Tanlac druggist in every town.—adv.

CARRANZA ONCE MORE ASKS WITHDRAWAL OF AMERICAN EXPEDITION

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pursuit of bandits under the reciprocal condition that like permission would be granted the forces of the United States should a case similar to that of Columbus be repeated at any other point along the frontier line.

"As a consequence of this proposition, made in the Mexican note of March 10, the United States government, through error and precipitation, thought that the good intention of the Mexican government was sufficient to authorize it to cross the frontier, and without awaiting a formal agreement ordered a large party of Americans to enter Mexico in pursuit of Villa and his party. Because of this act, the American government made most emphatic protestations that it was acting in good faith and that its only purpose in crossing the line was to pursue, capture or destroy the Villa band, and that the act did not signify an invasion of our territory nor an attempt to violate the sovereignty of Mexico, and that as soon as a practical result was shown by the expedition, the American troops would be withdrawn from Mexican territory.

Had No Formal Agreement.

"The Mexican government had no knowledge that American troops had crossed the border until March 17, and this came from private sources in El Paso. This government then directed a note to the American government stating that inasmuch as no formal agreement had been entered into between the two governments the Americans could not be considered as authorized to send such an expedition.

"The Washington government explained the sending of such an expedition, saying that it regretted the attitude of the Mexican government regarding the passage of troops across the frontier in pursuit of Villa, and that it was done in the understanding that the former interchange of notes plainly implied the consent of the Mexico government without further formalities.

"The government of the United States explained also that its attitude was taken in view of the necessity for rapid action and explained its willingness to receive any suggestions of the Mexican government relative to a formal agreement for the crossing of the international line by forces of either country.

America Refused to Agree.

"Both governments then hastened to define terms of an agreement, two projects of the Mexican government and two counter projects of the American government being exchanged. In discussing the agreement the Mexican government insisted constantly that the operation of troops in a foreign country must be limited as to the number of troops, the class of arms and the territory occupied.

"The American government refused to agree on these points, but in its last note, presented to this government, agreed to accept in part these limitations, nevertheless insisting that they be not applied to the Columbus expedition.

"This attitude of the American government caused the Mexican government to send a vote under date of April 12, suspending negotiations over and agreements, in view of the fact that the American government demanded that the Columbus case should be excluded, and requested the retirement of the American troops, as they were in Mexico under no agreement and as a further reason because the Villa bandits had been dispersed and reduced to impotency."

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ORIENT LODGE, NO. 395, A. F. & A. M.

The Stated Communication of the Lodge will be held this (Thursday) evening, at 8 o'clock.

As officers for the ensuing year are to be elected and other important business to be considered a full and prompt attendance is urged.

Visiting brethren will be cordially welcomed.

By order of the W. M.
C. C. BROWN,
Secretary.

M'ADOO SPEAKS ON PAN-AMERICANISM

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upon the Monroe Doctrine as a policy of all the Americas, destined not merely to maintain their political independence but gradually to secure for them that measure of economic and financial self-sufficiency which is the logical and necessary accompaniment of political independence. In the securing of these great ends we must, with each year, lay increasing emphasis on that spirit of international co-operational and mutual helpfulness which was the keynote of the Pan-American Financial Conference in 1915 and which is now the watchword of American policy.

"I am anxious that you should see the full significance of this movement. It means that the Americas are sounding a new note in international policy; that they have not only begun to see but are acting upon the principle that the welfare of each depends upon the prosperity of all. It is your duty, as well as mine, to hold high and unassailable this new concept of international relations. By so doing we will be performing a service to our country, to the American continent, and to the civilized world."

WEAR WOODEN SANDALS

Many Mexican Laborers Never Have Any Shoes.

(Indianapolis News.)

Wooden sandals ar now being worn to a great extent by the laboring classes in Mexican cities and by natives engaged in farming, in place of the old form of leather sandals used by the Mexicans for many centuries. They are being substituted for the primitive homemade leather sandals because of the scarcity and high price of native tanned leather, because of the scarcity of sheepskin thongs for lacing and because the native Indian is becoming more particular about the appearance of his feet.

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A Sensible Cigarette

CONTESTS WILL BE BROUGHT UP TODAY

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tional Woman Suffrage in the Republican platform.

It was reported that the campaign managers of four "favorite son" candidates met this afternoon to plan an offensive and defensive combination to combat the Roosevelt and Hughes sentiment, but the story was vigorously denied by representatives of all the candidates.

Another report circulated around headquarters was to the effect that at least some of the presidential candidates now in the field would formally withdraw before the convention meets.

WILSON TO DECIDE ON KIND OF REPLY

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His orders to give the communication to the ambassador designate for presentation to the State Department, it was saaid, did not arrive until midnight.

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"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

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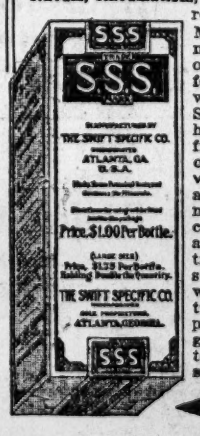

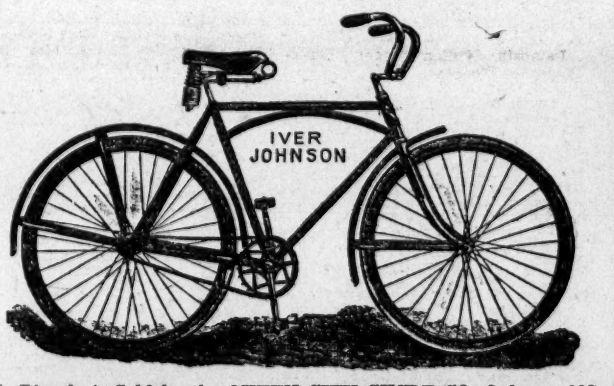

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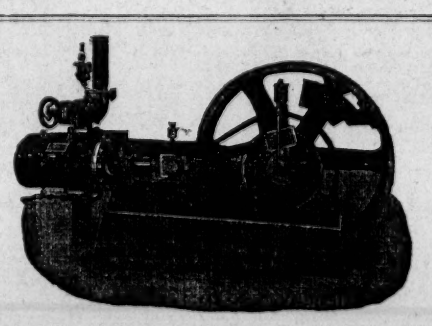

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IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

YANKEES CAPTURE TWO GAMES FROM ATHLETICS

Opportune Hitting Gives Tigers Victory Over White Sox.

Heavy Hitting by Red Sox and Good Work by Gregg Swamps the Senators, 10 to 1—Indians Beat the Browns 10 to 5.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.
At St. Louis 5; Cleveland 10.
At Boston 10; Washington 1.
At New York 8-9; Philadelphia 7-5.
At Detroit 7; Chicago 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L	Pct.
Washington	24	15	.615
Cleveland	24	15	.615
New York	22	15	.595
Boston	21	18	.538
Detroit	18	22	.450
Chicago	17	21	.447
Philadelphia	14	24	.368
St. Louis	14	24	.368

New York, May 31.—New York won two games from Philadelphia here today by scores of 8 to 7 and 9 to 5. In the first game the Yankees won with a five-run rally in the eighth inning when Gilhooley hit Bush for a home run with the bases full.

In the second game Wyckoff was wild and unsteady and New York made hits at opportune times and ran wild on the bases on Meyer.

Philadelphia	002	300	011	7	10	1
New York	001	200	05*	8	7	2

Nabors, Wyckoff, Bush and Meyer; Cullop, Keating, Russell and Nunamaker.

Second game:

Philadelphia	010	100	120	5	8	4
New York	300	201	12*	9	10	3

Wyckoff and Meyer; Markle and Walters.

Detroit, May 31.—Opportune hits gave Detroit a 7 to 4 victory over Chicago today. In the fifth inning with the score 1 to 1 the bases full and two out, Heilman tripled to left field. In the next inning Dauss lifted the ball over the left field fence for a home run. Chicago outhit the Tigers, but could not bunch their efforts. Jackson got two doubles, a triple and a single in four times at bat.

Chicago	000	100	120	4	14	0
Detroit	000	042	01*	7	9	0

Danforth, Wolfgang and Schalk; Dauss and Stanage.

Boston, May 31.—Heavy hitting by the Boston players and excellent work by Gregg, gave the locals a 10 to 1 victory over Washington today. Gallia was batted out of the box during the fourth inning. Walker's two doubles and a triple in three times against Gallia was a feature. Hooper strained a tendon in his right leg and will be out of the game for a week.

Washington	000	000	010	1	6	1
Boston	100	603	00*	10	16	0

Gallia, Harper and Henry and Williams; Gregg and Thomas and Agnew.

St. Louis, May 31.—Cleveland went into a tie for first place with Washington by defeating St. Louis in a loosely played game here today, 10 to 5.

Groom started for St. Louis but was taken out after Cleveland made five hits, including a double and triple, for four runs in the sixth. Hartley got four hits in four times at bat.

Cleveland	000	004	024	10	17	1
St. Louis	020	002	001	5	12	2

Mitchell and Billings; Groom, Davenport and Hartley.

MINOR LEAGUES.

CAROLINA LEAGUE
At Winston-Salem 5; Durham 4.
At Asheville 5; Charlotte 1.
At Raleigh 7; Greensboro 2.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Newport News 2-1; Petersburg 0-2
At Portsmouth 2-2; Hopewell 1-0.
At Norfolk 4-0; Rocky Mount 1-4.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Providence 4; Richmond 5.
At Rochester 10; Toronto 0.
At Buffalo 3; Montreal 10.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At St. Paul 5; Minneapolis 1.
At Columbus 3; Toledo 8.
At Indianapolis 4; Louisville 2.
At Kansas City 3; Milwaukee 4.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.
At Little Rock 6; Atlanta 8.
At Memphis 2; Birmingham 1.
At Chattanooga 9; New Orleans 1.
At Nashville 6; Mobile 8.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
At Macon 10-1; Jacksonville 5-2.
At Columbia 7; Montgomery 5.
At Albany 0; Augusta 6.
At Columbus 0; Charleston 4.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE MOGULS TO MEET IN ROCKY MOUNT FRIDAY

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 31.—Not only will pennant raising day in this city Friday be attended by the president of the Virginia League, but every club in the league will have a representative here and President Comprew has issued a call for a meeting of the Virginia League directors to be held in this city on Friday, June 2nd. This is the first meeting of the moguls of the Virginia League ever held in this city and the dual purpose of honoring the winner of last year's flag and a business session of the circuit's directing force has been arranged. The local directorate of 12 citizens are arranging for the royal entertainment of the visitors.

Godwin procured an appropriation of $600,000 for a new Custom House and Federal Court Building. That's something big; don't you think?

The Season at Luminа
begins Saturday night. Don Richardson's Orchestra.—Advertisement.

CUBS AND CARDINALS SPLIT DOUBLE HEADER

Reds Defeat Pirates in Contest of Sixteen Innings.

Giants Defeat Phillies by Bunching Hits Off Bender—Markle Makes Another Home Run—Dodgers Beat the Braves.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Chicago 1-6; St. Louis 5-3.
At Philadelphia 2; New York 4.
At Brooklyn 3; Boston 2.
At Pittsburg 2; Cincinnati 5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Chicago.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	22	12	.647
New York	21	14	.600
Philadelphia	20	17	.541
Cincinnati	20	22	.476
Boston	16	19	.457
Chicago	19	23	.452
Pittsburg	17	22	.436
St. Louis	18	24	.429

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago and St. Louis divided a double-header today. Packard's good pitching, four double plays and timely hitting won the game for the Cubs 6 to 3, after two two-baggers and Smith's home run had routed Seaton. St. Louis won the first, 5 to 1. Chicago got ten hits off Doak in the first game, but fast fielding, including two double plays, saved him. Fischer was expelled in the first for too strenuous argument.

St. Louis	000	200	300	5	5	0
Chicago	000	001	000	1	10	4

Doak and Snyder; Lavender, Packard and Fischer and Clemons.

Second game:

St. Louis	003	000	000	3	9	3
Chicago	103	000	20*	6	8	2

Ames, Meadows and Gonzales; Seaton, Packard and Archer.

Pittsburg, May 31.—Cincinnati defeated Pittsburg here today, winning the game in the 16th inning when a hit, base on balls and three errors resulted in three runs being scored. The Reds scored one run in the first inning and another in the sixth. The Pirates tied the count in the sixth on three hits and a sacrifice fly.

Cincinnati	100	001	000	000	3	5	11	1
Pittsburg	000	002	000	000	0	2	8	6

Toney and Wingo; Miller and Wilson.

Philadelphia, May 31.—New York defeated Philadelphia 4 to 2 by bunching hits off Bender in the third inning. Merkle hit a home run in the eighth, his second here in two days.

New York	003	000	010	4	9	2
Philadelphia	000	100	001	2	9	0

Benton and Rariden; Bender, McQuillan and E. Burns.

Brooklyn, May 31.—Brooklyn beat Boston in the ninth inning today by a score of 3 to 2, an error by Maranville with an easy double play in front of him, losing the game.

Boston	011	000	000	2	8	2
Brooklyn	010	000	101	3	8	1

Barnes and Gowdy; Pfeffer and Meyers.

EIGHTEEN BABIES HAVE BEEN GIVEN TREATMENT

A tthe Baby Hospital Since Opening —Additional Donations.

Announcement was made yesterday that up to the present time eighteen babies havve received treatment at the Baby Hospital, Front and Church streets. With the advance of the summer season it is thought that many additional applications for admission to the hospital will be received.

That interes tin the institution is the institution is steadily increasing is shown by the fact that donations are coming in daily. Those desiring to send donations should get in touch with Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Pridgen. The following donations were reported yesterday: St. Mary's Guild of St James' Episcopal church, $10; Mrs. Joseph D Smith, $1; Crescent Candy Company, tops, and Miss Alice Wright, toys.

Remember—Godwin secured the appropriations for our fine system of locks and dams. Don't forget that when you vote.

A MODERN RIP VAN WINKLE

(By R. D. Christman)

For ten years the Sixth District has been represented—wait a moment, did I say represented? I should have said misrepresented by a man who has surpassed the eminent Thomas Jefferson in the role of Rip Van Winkle. He has been sleeping so long that when he appeared on the scene a few days ago he stood spellbound at what had happened during his absence—he found that 225 pounds of avoidupois did not hinder the grass from growing under his feet and his political gun had decayed under the corroding atmosphere of inattention to duty.

During the term of the 63rd Congressional session, there were thirty (30) times that he had opportunities to lend his assistance to his constituents, but where was he? Each time these opportunities presented themselves, the significance of his term was marked with the "Asleep at the Switch."

The thinking people have at last focused the light of day on this record will not demand remuneration for their $7,500 annually paid for this office and knowing they can't get out of a man that which is not contained in him, they are determined to "Change Horses" even if they are in midstream, and if the burden is transferred to the shoulders of Joseph W. Little, we will not only be ably represented, but he will at all times have "Backbone' 'enough to speak and vote his convictions in Congress.

(Advertisement.)

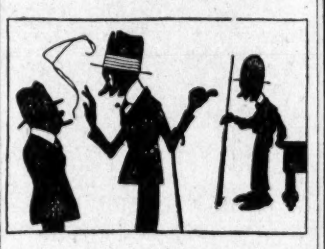
BELL-ANS
Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

PROCTORVILLE SHUTS OUT FAIR BLUFF AGGREGATION

Fair Bluff, N. C., May 31.—In a six-inning game of baseball here yesterday afternoon, the Proctorville team shut out the locals by the score of 6 to 0. Graham for the visitors pitched superb ball, coming out of a couple of holes in grand style and allowing only one hit. Ward for the locals also pitched good ball. The battery work of Graham and Nye for the visitors was the principal feature. Fair Bluff plays Proctorville on the Orrum grounds Friday of this week.

Ain't It The Truth?

You don't hire a hall when you want to tell your sweetheart All About It:



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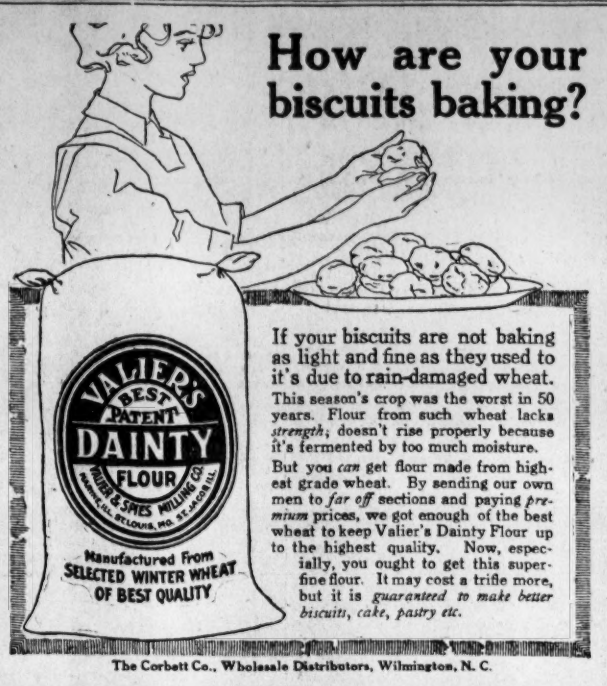

How are your biscuits baking?

If your biscuits are not baking as light and fine as they used to it's due to rain-damaged wheat.

This season's crop was the worst in 50 years. Flour from such wheat lacks *strength*; doesn't rise properly because it's fermented by too much moisture.

But you *can* get flour made from highest grade wheat. By sending our own men to *far off* sections and paying *premium* prices, we got enough of the best wheat to keep Valier's Dainty Flour up to the highest quality. Now, especially, you ought to get this superfine flour. It may cost a trifle more, but it is *guaranteed to make better biscuits, cake, pastry etc.*

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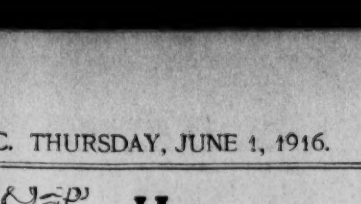

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

I KNOW that five minutes after I am dead a colossal fortune or a world-wide fame will profit me nothing. —CHAPMAN.

Oh, you Wilmington!

Thank goodness, there are no sphinx-like ladies.

One way to play the fool is to blow your own horn until your chin music makes people tired.

The horoscope of the G. O. P. elephant indicates that it is staggering with a white elephant on its hands.

The Colonel warns the boys about becoming mollycoddles. We guess it's because mollycoddles grow up to be tin Lizzies.

We hear about what the Mexicans are doing to Americans, but we don't hear what the Americans have been doing to the Mexicans.

Ambassador Gerard expressed the belief that peace is near. Seems as if peace and the millenium are two things that are so near and yet so far.

The Jacksonville Times-Union notes that "Billy Sunday wants every man to do his own praying." However, the average man neglects to do so unless he is cornered by a bear

Some of the American ammunition patriots are still smuggling ammunition to the Villistas. Blood money looks good to some men, even if American blood furnishes the stain.

The manifest desire of the Republicans to nominate the unspeakably silent Hughes shows that they do not consider that noise makes a man eligible to the nomination at Chicago next week.

The theory has been advanced that diplomats can prevent future wars. Of course, if they can do that, future diplomats will have to be phenomenal specimens compared with regular diplomats.

If Hank Ford can't get the nomination, he has a business that he can depend on for some time. Some of the other candidates will be down and out—down in the mouth and out a lot of cash for expenses.

Those who knock something could discover in it the possibilities for a boost, if those who knock should happen to be fortunate enough to entertain a few practical ideas. A fellow who knocks the clock and can't fix the time piece hasn't any advantage over the clock.

If a North Carolinian proposes to vote for the best interests of his State, he knows it is not worth while to pay any attention to what Republicans say. If the Republicans had ever done a thing for North Carolina they might be trusted, but they have a record for what they have always done to North Carolina. In the face of their record during the Reconstruction and the fusion periods they haven't even an alibi to offer.

Some of this country's orators proclaim the great humanitarian principles of the American people, but the world will judge us by the sacrifices we have made towards relieving the distress of war ravaged Europe. With the addition of $1,000,000 contributed by Mr. John D. Rockefeller, America's contributions have averaged 31 cents a head. If Mr. Rockefeller had not given that one cent for each us, our contributions would have been 30 cents.

"Our ancestors came over in the Mayflower," boasts a Boston girl. We glory in her spunk. We ought to revere our own ancestors, even if we don't know why they had to leave home and settle among the American Indians. It might all be a part of the "Plan of the Ages," but it's all right so long as we are a well-baheved lot of posterity. "Honor and shame from no conditions rise: Act well your part—there all the honor lies" for our ancestors and all of us who are glad we were born and got a chance to come to the bat.

WILMINGTON WILL HAVE A PACKING HOUSE.

Wilmington will have a packing house industry, according to the determination of the Chamber of Commerce at a special meeting yesterday afternoon. Recently the Chamber got right down after the proposition, and its methodical and prompt way of following it up to a conclusion shows what it means for a city to have an organized, influential force to take hold of opportunities with merit in them as business propositions.

The proposition is to organize a packing house corporation with a capital stock of $200,000, of which $100,000 will be used in plant equipment and $100,000 as operating capital. The proposition and decision met with the hearty concurrence of the leading business men and citizens in attendance, and it augurs well that the action taken means that it is no half way business that Wilmington proposes to go into. The movement has been a careful and deliberate one, and the further steps to be taken are to be along strictly business lines.

The Chamber committee which was sent to Moultrie, Ga., to investigate the packing house industry there made a comprehensive and pains-taking report, and it will be found in the proceedings of the Chamber of Commerce published in the local department of this morning's Star. The committee was so impressed with the success of the industry at Moultrie that its report inspired confidence in such an enterprise for Wilmington. Mr. G. Herbert Smith, of Acme, offered a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee to take hold of the proposition and put it through, and to negotiate for a capable management. The motion was enthusiastically adopted and the committee appointed consists of W. W. Love, chairman; H. C. McQueen, M. J. Corbett, G. Herbert Smith and John H. Brown. That is a strong committee, and it will proceed at once to carry out the packing house enterprise. Mr. Smith offered to subscribe $25,000 if the proper management of the industry is secured. Other substantial Wilmington men have signified their intention of taking stock and they are the kind of men who make success succeed.

The leading citizens and farmers of several counties are also concerned and will take stock as a packing house at Wilmington means a great industry for all this portion of North Carolina. Wilmington will have the meat end of it and the country will have the live-stock end of the proposition. All parties are satisfied of the success of the packing house as an investment and as a factor for promoting the growing livestock industry in Eastern North Carolina.

HOW OPPORTUNITIES ARE NOT SEIZED.

How Orangeburg got a packing house and how Columbia missed it is a matter under discussion between the Columbia Record and the Orangeburg News. Columbia let a splendid opportunity slip, but it was not the fault of The Record, for that progressive paper placed the matter in a strong light before the business men of the South Carolina capital. Naturally the Orangeburg paper feels cocky over the triumph of Orangeburg, but the Columbia paper lets Columbia down easy with this explanation:

"The Orangeburg News objects to a reference in The Record to the manner in which Dr. W. W. Long has encouraged Orangeburg in the locating there of a meat packing house. The News says:

"'Columbia and the other cities of the State had the same chance Orangeburg had. The difference is: Orangeburg seized the opportunity and the others did not.'

"We assure our contemporary that there is a difference. When Dr. Long first discussed a packing house proposition in Columbia it was on a $75,000 basis, and at a time when the influence of the European war was most depressing. When he first interested Orangeburg it was on a basis of $40,000.

"We would not for a moment detract from the splendid manner in which Orangeburg has responded, and we wish to see the enterprise a great success, as it will be.

"But we insist that Columbia should not be misjudged in this matter."

We confess surprise that Columbia did not take the packing house seriously when it was proposed and we were more surprised that she did not get busy when both Orangeburg and Florence began to look upon it as an opportunity. Columbia had all the advantage as a distributing point and as a business center, and we fear that the Columbians failed to appreciate the splendid adaptabilities of their city or minimized the importance of the packing house industry.

It is too late now to tell how Columbia dropped her candy, but it goes to show that when such a thing as an opportunity is presented to a city the time to act is before some other city gets busy. Some opportunities are so peculiar that they can be seized by only one town in a given area, as one such industry within a certain radius is sufficient for a large territory.

Our cities need to be more alert when a good proposition is sprung. They hem and haw too long, with the result that while they are maneuvering some town mobilizes its organized preparedness and robs another of what it saw first.

A city's people ought to know its adaptabilities like a book and be prepared to act through a real live organization that will refuse to adjourn till it does something. A duck is no athlete but it certainly knows when a June bug is ripe. When a city has a chance to get on the map it had better get up and get.

Oh, you leafy month of June! You bring us brides and flowers and fruits and other things to eat, but, of course, that doesn't mean the brides and flowers.

THE ANTI-SHINGLE MOVEMENT.

Some of the most disastrous fires in the South and West have been traced to the wooden shingle, especially to shingle roofs which have grown old and become a tinder covering for houses in the downtown districts. Shingles become light by age and catch fire almost like powder, but their tendency to fly all over creation during a big fire endangers property for blocks around. They scatter fire and the fire departments dread them as fire demons. Augusta knows how it is.

Richmond, Augusta, Montgomery and other Southern cities have passed anti-wooden shingle ordinances, and the Atlanta chamber of commerce, through its fire prevention committee, has recommended such an ordinance for Atlanta. The chamber has not acted hastily but has made its recommendation after careful consideration for the best interests of Atlanta.

Of course, ordinances like that stir up opposition, and even shingle politics has played a part, somewhat like the peanut variety that we hear prevails in distant cities. However, the Atlanta Constitution wants to keep shingles out of politics there or politics out of shingles, for our esteemed contemporary thus delivers itself in favor of an anti-shingle ordinance now pending before the city council:

"Of course those who desire them may use far more expensive roofing materials; but the average will undoubtedly show a material saving where the saving in insurance premiums for a three or five-year period is considered. The fallacy of the argument that the proposed ordinance would prove oppressive to the poor man may readily be gathered from this fact.

"Again, the ordinance is important from a general municipal standpoint. If Atlanta should ever have a fire with a strong wind it would mean, with present highly inflammable roofs, a destructive conflagration on the order of those in Augusta, Nashville, Jacksonville and Paris, Texas. So that proper roofing will prove not only a protection with reduced cost of premiums to the home owner himself, but to his neighbors on either side of him.

"The proposed ordinance is in no sense drastic, in that it provides for reasonable repairs of present wood shingle roofs, and forbids only the replacing of entire roofs with this material. There are approved materials one can use which cost little, if any, more than wooden shingles; an owner is at liberty to use these or more expensive ones, if he desires.

"The question is purely a business one, affecting the whole city and into which no smallest consideration of politics should enter. To perfect and pass the ordinance is a duty council owes Atlanta."

The argument has been made that the oirdinance will be oppressive to the poor man, but the National Board of Fire Underwriters points out that they have to increase the premiums on shingle roof risks and upon all property endangered by them. It is argued, therefore, that although other roofs cost more at first, shingle roofs cost more every year on account of the increased insurance. It is claimed that the cost of fireproof roofs is always overcome, or more than made up within a comparatively brief period, by the reduced cost of fire insurance.

We are only referring to this as a matter of interest, because we believe most buildings in Wilmington's downtown district are modern, fire prevention roofs, but as a further preventative precaution, some down-town shacks ought to be gotten rid of under the fire ordinance already in existence. The building ordinance for the down-town district ought to be carefull yenforced.

MINISTER GONZALES AT HOME

Capt. William E. Gonzales, United States minister to Cuba, arrived at his home in Columbia on Monday and will be there on business a few days. He states that the conditions in the island republic are exceedingly gratifying and that peace and prosperity prevail, throughout the island. Political conditions are quiet and the people have ha dtwo big years of fine crops and prosperous commercial conditions. Havana is a fine city and does a large commerce with this and other foreign countries.

A few days ago the New York Journal of Commerce stated that our export business to Cuba has grown enormously and that shipments for Cuba are responsible for a large portion of the freight congestion at New York. Yet the ports of Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah and Jacksonville are close to Cuba and ought to do the largest part of this country's export and import business with the Gem of the Antilles. Then there is Porto Rico, and all of the East Indies group which take millions of dollars' worth of products from this country. There are plenty of commercial opportunities there, if we would make it our business to find them out and take advantage of them as neighboring American ports.

If Captain Gonzales is not in a hurry to get back to his post, it would be a good idea to get him to come to Wilmington and tell us of some of the opportunities that our South Atlantic ports are overlooking in a commercial territory that we ought surely to exploit. In New York last week large shipments of flour for Cuba were tied up by the freight congestion, but flour is only one of the items in our growing export business with that rich country just below us.

ASHEVILLE A WEEDLESS TOWN

Ordinance That Will Make a Haven for Hay-Fever Sufferers.

To make Asheville a haven for hay-fever sneezers this summer is the latest endeavor on the part of that city's energetic helth officers and board of commissioners. An ordinance recently passed makes it unlawful for a weed over four inches in height to be left in the city limits. This measure was designed to free Asheville of all hay-fever producing weeds and thus make her a place of refuge for hay-fever sufferers.

That the citizens might the more intelligently co-operate in the anti-weed movement, the city health officers planned a hay-fever weed exhibit. In many of the store windows were displayed all kinds of weeds whose pollens are supposed to be the cause of hay fever, and all the citizens were urged to become acquainted with these offending weeds that they might know to exterminate them this summer. Dr. W. Scheppegrell, of New Orleans, president of the American Hay Fever Association, is giving assistance to the city of Asheville in her undertaking to become a weedless town.

"Asheville believes in making herself healthfully attractive," says the State Board of Health, "and she benefits accordingly. She has for a number of years enjoyed the reputation and the advantages of a flyless town, comparatively speaking, and of a pure milk supply. Now she adds to her many other health attractions by ridding herself of weeds and becoming a safe place for sufferers from hay-fever. Her newest campaign slogan is 'No weeds, No Hay-Fever.'"

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CURRENT COMMENT

We as a nation chronically waste our by-products, even when we are in a furore of preparedness; else we would prepare for half a dozen future wars by collecting and storing the poison gas spread in one political campaign.—Greensboro News.

The interesting point about the contest of the North Carolina delegation to the Republican National Convention is that if the contesting delegates are seated they will be solidly for Colonel Roosevelt. Secretary Reynolds, of the National Committee, side-stepped responsibility on the ground that notice of the proposed contest had not been given within the time limit required and shifted it to the credentials committee. That will suit the North Carolina patriots just as well. All they want is a chance to fight it out, somewhere or another. Twenty-one delegates are involved and the outcome will have a considerable bearing on the fortunes of the Colonel.—Charlotte Observer.

Dr. James A. McDonald, editor of the Toronto (Canada) Globe, far-famed, is now also of Robeson county. Robeson can claim an interest in him that is more than the interest that the rest of the world feels. Since he came to Red Springs three years ago to deliver the literary address at the commencement of the Southern Presbyterian college and catching a vision of great things, suggested that here should be perpetuated a college for the training of noblest woman-hood, he has been in a way a part of the county. He became intensely interested then in this college and in the career of the Scottish heroine Flora Macdonald, and by the time, one year later than his first visit, he came back to Fayetteville and delivered the annual address, as president of the Scottish Society of America, the desire to do something for the college at Red Springs and to honor the memory of Flora Macdonald had become a passion with him. The result is history. Dr. Macdonald of Toronto and Robeson—Robeson is proud to claim this distinguished citizen.—Lumberton Robesonian.

We have been greatly gratified at the high character of the campaigning which has been going on in North Carolina for nomination for office at the hands of the Democracy. With the primary law on trial we have seen nothing, we have heard nothing, which can be charged up against it as a breeder of strife and discord. In no part of the State is the Democracy making a fierce fight within itself because there is a legalized primary law. Mind you, we do not claim that the present primary law is all it ought to be. But it is a law which can be put in such shape as to fully give to the people the right and the power to name the men who seek their votes. There are people who are fighting the primary law, as was to be expected, for nowhere on earth do we expect to find full agreement upon matters which affect the people in their entirety. Without wrangle of any moment within the party we are now within a few days of the settlement of the question of party candidates at the polls, for the election comes on Saturday. The list of men who seek the suffrage of the Democratic voters of North Carolina is a list of men who deserve well of the Democracy, and this paper rejoices in the fact that no matter what men are chosen as the nominees of the party the men whose names go on the ticket for the general election are men whose election will reflect honor upon the State. Saturday ends the contest and the people speak at the ballot box. The Democracy has a right to feel proud that it will present to the voters of the State men of such qualifications, of such character, that it will be recognized that good government is to continue to prevail in North Carolina. The campaign has been conducted upon the question of merit.—Raleigh News and Observer.

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THOMAS E. OWEN SELLS HIS NEWSPAPER TO W. H. FISHER.

Clinton News Dispatch Hereafter Will be Orthodox Butler Paper.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., May 31.—W. H. Fisher, State senator from this district and a member of the law firm of Faircloth & Fisher here, today bought the News Dispatch, the Republican organ established and until today edited by Thomas E. Owen. It is understood the purchase price was something over $2,000.

Editor Owen, who has been a live wire in the newspaper field, will look after his farms and timber interests. He recently bought a large tract of timbered land involving a large amount of money on which deal he expects to realize profits that will make him a rich man.

Growing out of the Butler-Duncan fight in the State and locally, he has been since that time out of harmony with the Butler machine, as he calls it, having lined up with the Duncan forces and lost the nomination for Congress in this district and election as delegate to the Republican National convention in consequence. His organ has since then been out of tune with the party as dominated by the Butler faction. But there will be no more discordant notes heard now as the present ownership is orthodox and in harmony with the dominant faction.

CHARGED WITH VIOLATION OF THE CATTLE QUARANTINE LAW

J. B. Scott of Pender Bound Over to Court—Politics Warm.

Burgaw, N. C., May 31.—Justice Godwin, of Point Caswell, had Hon. J B. Scott before him today on the charge of violating the quarantine law by refusing to allow his cattle to be examined by the officer whose duty it is to make such examinations, and telling him to keep away from his premises. The justice required him to give bond of $100 for his appearance at the next term of Superior Court.

It developed in the trial that Mr. Scott not only did that which is declared violation of the law himself but had advised his neighbors to do likewise. In this attitude Mr. Scott does not represent all the Free Rangers, as a great many of them have been observing the law right along and appreciate the importance of cattle tick eradication, even though they are opposed to stock law.

As the time of the primary draws naar, much interest is manifest in the outcome of the county ticket. It is not so confidently predicted now as it was a short while ago that the Free Range ticket will have a walk over. In fact, it is the opinion in some quarters that it will not win. It is thought by some that Ex-Sheriff W. W. Alderman will defeat J. B. Scott for the House, as Mr. Alderman is looked upon as a Free Ranger and is a very popular man. There is far more interest taken in the county ticket than all else combined and a stranger would not know that a governor is to be nominated.

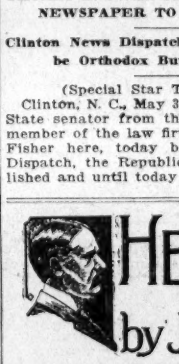
The friends of Mrs. H. L. Cook, of Chattanooga, formerly of Burgaw, will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering from the operation she had performed about a month ago.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Sparkman sympathize with them in the death of their infant son a few days ago.

New York, May 31. — Cotton goods were quiet today. Print cloths and convertibles were dull; yarns were firm. Jobbers did a large export business. Light weight specialties in men's wear for spring, 1917, were ordered freely. Dress goods were in demand from jobbers.

Saturday Night

opening of the season at Lumina. Don Richardson's Orchestra.—Advertisement.



HEALTH IS WEALTH by John B. Huber, A.M., M.D.

Let good digestion wait on appetite and health on both.—SHAKESPEARE.

The Chorus Girl

CONTRARY to a considerable impression, the chorus girl's lot is not a uniformly happy one. She has to work harder than anyone else concerned in the presentation of musical comedies; shows are rehearsed in August and September for the season; for these rehearsals, in the hottest weather, she gets, as a rule, no pay. Then, when the show is on, there must be frequent and quick changes of costume in cold and usually unsanitary dressing rooms. When the show loses its urban drawing power and goes on the road for one-night stands, in all kinds of weather, the theatre accommodations are likely to be no better than in stables; cheap boarding houses furnish the food; trains have to be caught at any and all hours, sleep or no sleep. The life is utterly unhygienic, and therefore predisposing to disease, especially to tuberculosis, which begins to take its greatest toll of human life with adolescence, and to which at least every fourth adult, in whatever walk of life, succumbs.

Most chorus girls know so little about voice training that they constantly strain their vocal cords; and they have sore throats pretty much all the time. For relief they get at the nearest drug store—used to, certainly, before the enactments of the present anti-drug laws—get medicines and lozenges containing opiates, cocaine and what not else that is dreadful. What sadness that kind of thing leads to only doctors can realize. The chorus girl is constantly suffering from colds, one after another. Eventually then, comes the time when her face thins and takes on a clammy sweat; the hectic flush comes upon the cheek—rouging becomes superfluous; her eyes sparkle more than ever, but the brilliance is now that of a disease. Her voice gets beyond her control. She takes to "faking" her part. Some morning there is a sharp crack of the conductor's stick; the chorus stops; she is pointed out and told she is off key. The erstwhile pride of the Johnnies, the front row favorite, is sent to the rear. There now develops the persistent, dry hack—of course it would never do to disturb the show that way. The audience is there to be amused, not to be annoyed. And so the manager has been known to call the delinquent aside, sarcastically suggesting to her that she is too good for his show; "hates to give her up, but his conscience won't let him keep her out of grand opera." Funny! Behind the glamour of the footlights there are miserable shadows that no one in front would suspect. Young women ambitious to be in the chorus had better learn something about such shadows before taking up the career.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD, ETC.

U. T. writes: 1. What are the relative merits of whole wheat bread and of graham bread as a food. 2. What aid does each render in relieving a constipated habit? 3. What trouble is indicated by specks before the eyesight? 4. What should be done to correct this condition? 5. What is the action of blue flag in medicine? 6. Has it any unfavorable result in the body? 7. Must a slight enlargement of the thyroid gland on the right side receive immediate attention, or not?

Answer: 1. Both have slightly more food value than fine flours, but this advantage is lost because they are not quite so digestible; they should be well chewed. 2. Both alike are better than patent flours for the constipated. 3. Kidney trouble, diabetes, exhaustion, rheumatism, gout. 4. Get treated for the underlying trouble. 5. Purgative and acts on the kidneys. 6. Not in the usual dosage (from 1 to V grains). 7. It should. For brevity in this column you are the prize correspondent thus far.

TORPID LIVER.

Answer to C. E. L.: A congested liver comes from overindulgence in food or drink. The symptoms are nausea, furred tongue, the headache "in the cold gray dawn of the morning after," a "chocolate-colored taste," lack of appetite, thirst, vomiting, fever, with constipation or diarrhoea. Liquid diet or better no diet at all for 24 hours; cracked ice to swallow instead of drinking water, a quarter of a grain of calomel ever hour for six hours and then a seidlitz powder. After which—"never again."

John B. Huber

This column is devoted to disease prevention; to physical and mental hygiene; to domestic, industrial and public sanitation; to the promotion of health; efficiency and long life. The latest developments in medical science will be presented. Questions of general interest will be answered here, space permitting—others by mail if stamped return envelope is enclosed. Requests for personal diagnosis or treatment cannot, however, be considered in any way.

TOMORROW: Migraine

NOTICE

TAX LISTING

The undersigned Tax Listers will be at the Court House daily during the month of May, (Sundays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., for the purpose of taking tax lists.

Your early attention to this duty will save both yourselves and us time and trouble.

Listers for Harnett Township will be at the Court House May 26th to 31st inclusive.

Listers for Cape Fear, Federal Point and Masonboro will be at the Court House May 30th and 31st.

B. F. KING,
WALTER RUTLAND.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION AND NEW REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wilmington, by an ordinance duly adopted on the 26th day of April, 1916, called and ordered to be held in the City of Wilmington on Saturday, the 3rd day of June, 1916, a special election for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said City an ordinance adopted by said Council on the 26th day of April, 1916, by which ordinance the tax ordinance of said City for the fiscal year ending May 31st, 1917, and previously adopted by said Council, is amended, said amending ordinance fixing the total tax rate for said City for said fiscal year at $1.85 upon the one hundred dollars property valuation, and authorizing said Council to levy and collect as a part of the total rate aforesaid a special tax of 10c. on the one hundred dollars property valuation, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of improving and extending the water works system of said City, the purchase of additional fire fighting apparatus for the Fire Department of said City, the improvement of Princess Street in said City, and the establishment or creation of an industrial or manufacturing suburb to said City.

By said amending ordinance the propositions to improve said waterworks system and purchase for said Fire Department additional apparatus, the improvement of Princess Street and the establishment of said industrial or manufacturing suburb are provided to be voted upon separately.

The said Council has further ordered as provided by law an entirely new registration of the voters of said City for said election; the following named polling places have been designated and registrars and judges of election have been appointed for the holding and conducting of said election, namely:

First Ward Precinct—Polling place, Engine House, 4th and Campbell; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, James Elkins, R. J. Darden, Sr.

Second Ward Precinct—Polling place, Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, D. H. Howes, Jr., W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward Precinct—Polling place, Giblem Lodge, downstairs; Registrar, L. H. Partin; Judges, H. E. Bonitz, Coy Hewett.

Fourth Ward Precinct—Polling place, McClellan's Stables; Registrar, J. B. King; Judges, T. D. Love, S. Zeigler.

First Division, Fifth Ward Precinct—Polling place, New Engine House; Registrar, J. E. Taylor; Judges, A. W. Branch, Thos. Lawson.

Second Division, Fifth Ward Precinct—Polling place, Old Engine House; Registrar, T. G. Landen; Judges, J. B. Fales, M. Marshburn.

Sixth Ward Precinct—Polling place, Mann's Store; Registrar, J. F. Mann; Judges, W. L. Holt, W. A. Woods.

Said election will be held between the hours of sunrise and sunset on the said 3rd day of June, 1916.

Each registrar will, between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M. and 5:00 o'clock P. M., on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for the closing of the registration books keep open said books for the registration of the voters in their respective precincts, and said registration books will be open from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until 9:00 o'clock P. M. on each Saturday during said registration period and shall be closed for registration on the 2nd Saturday before the 3rd day of June, 1916. No registration will be allowed on said election day except to such persons as shall give satisfactory evidence to the registrar and judges of election that he has become of the age of twenty-one years, or otherwise has become qualified to register and vote since the registration books closed for registration.

On the second Saturday before the election the registration books will be kept open at the polling places in the voting precincts for the inspection of electors and to enable challenges to be made to the right of any person to vote in said election whose name appears on said books, and if any person is objected to notice will be given him and a hearing granted, as provided by law.

The Council has appointed the registrars and judges of election as hereinbefore stated, and caused them to be notified of their appointment, and required them to take the oath required by law, and will cause to be furnished all necessary books and arrange for the ballots, and will fill all vacancies occurring either as to registrars or judges as provided by law, and will receive returns from said election as provided by law.

By order of the Council of the City of Wilmington.

THOS. D. MEARES,
ap30-td City Clerk and Treasurer.

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CITY COUNCIL ADOPTS BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR

The Increases for the Different Items Amount to $16,724.

Health Budget Passed Upon Assurance Being Given That Indigent Poor Shall Be Treated Promptly —The Appropriations.

Carrying a total appropriation of $315,456 for the ensuing fiscal year beginning June 1, an increase of $16,724 over last year, the budget for the city of Wilmington was formally adopted by City Council yesterday morning at its regular weekly session following some discussion relative to the Health Department budget, which was finally adopted as proposed by the Board of Health upon the assurance being given that the assistant county health officer would devote practically his entire time to work outside of the office, leaving the clerical duties to be performed by the clerk and stenographer.

The increase in the budget is made necessary largely through the increased cost of chemicals and the purchase of some 500 meters at a cost of about $5,000 and by an appropriation of $1,500 for the street department to be used for parks and playgrounds. Councilman McCaig also pointed out that several items are included in the budget such as for the rent of the disposal plant for sewerage and for the buying of disinfectants that have not heretofore been included in the budget such as for the rent of the disposal plant for sewerage and for the buying o fdisinfectants.

The budget as adopted yesterday had been considered at several conferences of Council during the past few weeks and all the different items agreed upon with the exception of the budget for the Health Department. In moving the adoption of the budget, Councilman McCaig stated that the Board of Health contemplated making some changes in administration but that its fiscal year did not begin until the second Monday in next January and it would not therefore, be advisable to undertake them at this time. In this connection a letter was read from Chairman McGirt, of the Board of Health, asking that the budget be adopted with the understanding that certain changes should be made at that time.

Councilman Merritt was not satisfied with the geenral nature of the promises for changes and suggested that the budget be returned to the Board of Health for consideration. "I will vote for the increase in the appropriation for medicines and supplies," said he "but not for an increase in salaries.

"I am not in favor of the Health Budget," said Councilman Bradshaw, "unless we can get a doctor who can attend to the poor of the city." Councilman Merritt thought that with as much medical knowledge as there was in the Health Department that the poor should be taken care of. Councilman Bunting thought that duties of the Food Inspector and the meat and milk inspector might be combined. At this juncture, Councilmen Bunting and Hall visited the office of the Board of Health and it was agreed there that Dr. John Thames, assistant county health officer, should give prompt attention to all calls for attention from the indigent poor and that in order that he may be able to do this, a part of his clerical duties shall be transferred to the clerk and stenographer. They reported this to Council a few minutes later and the budget was then formally adopted.

The resolution accepting the budget proposed by the Health Department expressly provides that the distribution of the appropriation shall be as called for and does not give to the Board of Health the authority to change the different items. City Attorney Ruark said that he doubted if Council had the authority to allow the Board of Health to make a redistribution of the items as had been suggested in the letter from Chairman McGirt.

In the new budget the city attorney is to be given a flat salary of $1,800 instead of $1,000 plus fees for special services as has been the case in the past year. It was stated that this would actually amount to paying him less salary than under the former regulation as his fees for services in special litigation had amounted to more than $800 a year.

Other increases under the head of general expense, which carries the overhead cost of administration, are $750 for elections and $500 for repairs to the public library. No elections were held the past year and it is stated that the repairs to the library have become urgent as nothing has been done on that part of the City Hall building in several years.

The appropriation for the police department shows an increase of some $1,700, made necessary by the cost of keeping the bloodhounds and the increased cost of gasoline and bicycle and motor car upkeep and the extension of the police call system to the remoter parts of the city.

The fire department shows a decrease of $100. In the street department a net increase of $3,100 is shown, accounted for by the increase in the allowance of $2,000 for the improvement of streets and the appropriation of $1,500 for parks and playgrounds. Some decreases are made in other items.

The appropriation for garbage and scavenger work remain about the same and there is a slight increase in the appropriation for markets as compared with the printed budget of last year This, however, was provided for during the year and there is no actual increase in this department.

The appropriation for the Health and Hospital Department shows an increase of some $1,700. The appropriation for the James Walker Memorial Hospital remains the same while there is an increase of $300 for the Red Cross Tuberculosis hospital, this latter having been made some time ago at the urgent request of the management of this institution in order to provide for a trained nurse. The Board of Health budget shows an increase of $1,900, of which the city pays some $1,421. Of the increase for the Health Department $300 is on account of the increased cost of supplies.

The only increase particularly noticeable is in the Water and Sewerage Department, which aggregates some $10,000. This is practically accounted for in increased cost of chemicals, $2,500 provision for purchase of 500 meters $6,000, and the electric current and men in charge at the disposal plant $2,361. This latter expense has ex-

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Don't swap horses in midstream. You know what Godwin is and you could only wonder what a new congressman could do.

FIFTH WARD VOTERS HEAR MAJOR LITTLE

Who Reviews Record of Congressman Godwin at Length.

Candidates for County Offices Make Short Addresses—Day of Intense Political Activity — More Speeches Tonight.

Major Joseph W. Little, New Hanover's canddate for Congress from the Sixth District, in an eloquent speech at Fifth and Castle streets in the Fifth Ward last evening discussed the issues which he considers of paramount importance at the present time and then went at some length into the record of Congressman Godwin, declaring that the latter's chief claim to merit was that of being a politician. E. F. Young, Esq., of Dunn, who is conducting a vigorous campaign for Congress also, spent the day in the city seeing his friends and expressed the greatest confidence yesterday afternoon over the outcome. He was not here, he stated to antagonize anyone personally but simply to work in his own behalf.

Following the address by Major Little last night, which was heard with close attention by several hundred voters, who cheered him vociferously when he had finished, a number of candidates for county offices made short addresses in which they presented their claims for the office sought by them. The crowd was in the best of humor and entered with much interest into the spirit of the occasion. Preceding the address by Major Little. The Hanover Concert band played several selections which were very much appreciated by those present. Major Little will make an address to the voters of Wilmington at 8:15 tonight at Front and Market streets.

Major Little advocated the draining of the swamp lands of the eastern section of the State by Federal aid in the same way as the big reclamation projects are carried on in the West, pointing out that $86,000,000 had been spent by the government for that purpose. He also advocated a bigger merchant marine through aid by the interest of deeper waterways. He went after Congressman Godwin rather vigorously for his political activities while in the halls of Congress and read many newspaper extracts showing that the congressman had expressed the greatest confidence that he would be re-elected without any difficulty. However, Major Little thought that Mr. Godwin is sadly mistaken in this view and declared that he had gone into the campaign to win and that he expected to do so.

Major Little was introduced to the voters by Mr. Ed Register. He spoke from in front of the engine house at Fifth and Castle streets.

The crowd then called on the county candidates present to make short talks and as they were called out they mounded the rather frail table and presented their claims for office. County Solicitor George Peschau and E. T. Burton, Esq., candidates for county solicitor, were the first to speak. "Judge" G. W. Bornemann was next called upon by the voters and he in a few words asked those present to vote for him as magistrate. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., candidate for representative in the lower house of the State General Assembly, was the next to mount the table at the call of the voters. Mr. Grant outlined his platform in brief and declared that he was ready at any time to discuss the "issues of the campaign' with his opponent. Recorder Brooke G. Empie defended his record and appealed to the voters for support.

All of the candidates were given the closest attention by the voters and only at one time was there any disturbance when enthusiastic ones had a difference of opinion about the record of one of the candidates. This was quickly adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Major A. J. McKinnon, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, yesterday wrote from his home at Maxton to his friends locally that he regretted that he had been unable to get here before the close of the campaign and in writing addressed the following card to the voters of the district:

"To the People of the Sixth District:

"I have not devoted much of my time since I announced my candidacy for Commissioner of Agriculture to my campaign in the Sixth District. I feel that the people in the Sixth District know me and will stand by me, and as the time was so short, I thought it best to look out for my interest in the other districts. I have been in every district in the State and I am glad to announce to my home people that my candidacy has met with exceptional favor everywhere and I feel sure that I will be nominated.

"I want to thank the people of this district for the interest they have taken in my campaign. If I am nominated, as I expect to be, it will be on account of the loyal way my friends have stood by me and supported me. I want to ask that you see to it that every Democratic voter in the district comes out on June 3 and cast his vote for your candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture from the Sixth district. This district is one of the largest agricultural districts in the State and has not been represented on the State ticket in years.

"Again thanking you for your interest, I am,

"Sincerely,
"A. J. M'KINNON."

MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD FOR MR. VIRGINIUS HALL.

At St. John's Mission, of Which He Was Superintendent, Last Night.

Appropriate memorial services were held last night for the late Mr. Virginius Hall at St. John's Mission. Bishop Thomas C. Darst preached the memorial sermon. The services were largely attended.

Mr. T. Stanley France, who succeeded Mr. Hall as superintendent of the Mission Sunday school read the service and also made a short address. Rev. W. E. Cox also delivered an address in appreciation of Mr. Hall's services to and interest in St. John's Mission. Mr. J. Edward Bunting, secretary-treasurer of the Mission, read resolutions adopted by the Mission expressing sympathy for the family and deep appreciation of Mr. Hall's work.

At the close of the services announcement was made that Mr. Bunting will meet some of the members at the Mission tonight for the purpose of organizing a troop of Boy Scouts from among the boys of that section of the city.

Vote for H. L. Godwin for congressman. He has ten years' experience and that's what counts.

COMMITTEE IS NAMED TO PUT PLANS THROUGH

For the Erection of a Packing House in Wilmington.

And to Organize $200,000 Company With Capable Management—Investigating Committee Submits Report to Chamber.

The chief feature of a well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of hearing the report of the Packing House committee which investigated the meat packing plant and industry at Moultrie, Ga., was the adoption of a resolution by the Chamber authorizing its president, Mr. L. E. Hall, to appoint a committee to take hold of the proposition of establishing a similar plant in Wilmington under competent management with a company, the authorized capital stock of which is to be not less than $200,000.

The resolution was offered by Mr. G. Herbert Smith, chairman of the general committee, who declared that he stood ready to put as much as $20,000 in the proposition if competent management is secured. He expressed the greatest faith in the proposition and other men were equally confident that it will prove a money-making proposition to the stockholders and at the same time be of great benefit to local merchants and farmers. Mr. Smith stated that he had given considerable thought to the subject of proper management and suggested the name of Mr. M. J. Corbett for president of the company. It is understood that Mr. Corbett has the matter under consideration. The resolution adopted by the Chamber reads as follows:

"Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the president of the Chamber to take hold of the packing house proposition and to put it through on a basis of not less than $100,000 for the plant, and an additional $100,000 for working capital; the committee is further authorized to negotiate for capable management."

Mr. Marcus W. Jacobi in discussing the subject of the capital stock, declared that in his opinion, it would be a great mistake to start off with too small capital. He stated that it seemed to him that if they were going to put $100,000 in the plant, they should have an additional $100,000 for operating capital, otherwise it would be necessary to borrow from banks and pay from 6 to 7 per cent for the loans, that is, taking in consideration the balances the banks would require the company to carry. He stated that with proper management he would be perfectly willing to invest during the first year even though the returns in the way of dividends were not more than 4 to 6 per cent. He added that it would be just as easy to secure $200,000 as half that sum, and the stockholders instead of the banks would be getting the interest on the money put into the operating capital. Mr. Hugh MacRae and Mr. Hall both agreed with Mr. Jacobi that there should be ample operating capital and endorsed the suggestion that $100,000 be used for the erection of the plant and an additional $100,000 for operating and other expenses.

In speaking on the same subject, Mr. A. M. Lucas, of the investigating committee, stated that the Moultrie plant's initial cost was $94,000, but that business increased so that within a short time they had to build an addition, which had they built at the start, he was reliably informed, could have been erected for $16,000 less.

Other facts brought out were that it takes about 60 days to cure pork meat, and such animals as are purchased from farmers are paid for at once in cash; and that from 20 to 25 beeves can be handled during the summer at the plant.

Mr. Greene Fenley called attention to the fact that $500,000 had been paid out by the Moultrie plant to farmers in the past year, or at the rate of about $25,000 a month.

Report of Committee.

The report of the sub-committee, which visited Moultrie, Ga., which was read by Mr. W. W. Love, follows:

"Appointed by you as a sub-committee to investigate the packing house located at Moultrie, Ga., we are pleased to report as follows:

"We took a trip to Moultrie, arriving there on Monday, May 22nd, and spent all day Monday and until 1 o'clock Tuesday making this investigation. We were courteously received by the citizens of Moultrie and the surrounding neighborhood, and were given every assistance that we could have asked in making our investigation. Several of the prominent business men took us in automobiles to the places of interest in the city and surrounding country, which gave us an opportunity to closely observe conditions existing among the farmers, merchants and others identified with the upbuilding of the community.

"We interviewed quite a number of farmers ,and without exception they stated that the packing house had greatly benefited them, as it gave them a market at all times in which they could dispose of their hogs and cattle at prices that were satisfactory. One farmer stated that without the packing house that he would have had to borrow money to cultivate his crop. Now he could always raise a little money by selling a few hogs. Another farmer says it was the best thing that ever happened for the community; that he has sold some hogs and intends raising more each year for sale. Some of the farmers, who as yet have not raised hogs for sale, stated that they have seen how it has benefited the ones that did raise them, and that they intended to raise them in the future. One farmer who has raised quite a lot of hogs for sale says that he has made money on them and is very enthusiastic over the hog raising business.

"A gentleman from the adjoining county of Mitchell, says that the farmers are beginning to raise hogs, as they could now market them to advantage, and would curtail their cotton crop and put more time in hog raising. One farmer who has about 1,200 head of fine hogs, says that the packing house is the greatest developer he has ever seen, and is selling breeders to the other farmers in the surrounding country. The day we were there this farmer sold six hogs weighing 1,575 pounds, at eight cents per pound, bringing him $126.06. Good breed of hogs can be raised for market from six to nine months old.

"Statements of quite a number of other farmers were practically the same

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Our 30-foot channel enables large ships to come into our port. Godwin has worked hard on that proposition.

FIGHT FOR JUDGESHIP ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Letter From Governor Craig Being Circulated in City.

Chief Executive Denies Making Appointment Before Hearing Claims of All Candidates—Mr. Ricaud Makes Statement.

The fight for the judgeship from the Eighth judicial district between the present incumbent, Judge W. P. Stacy, and Addison G. Ricaud, Esq., which has been conducted rather quietly during the past week by friends of both men, was the chief topic of conversation yesterday following the circulation about the city of copies of the text of a letter from Governor Locke Craig in which he made vigorous denial of the statement that he issued a commission to Judge Stacy before hearing the claims of all candidates.

Following the circulation of the letter from the Governor, which was distributed about the city by friends of Judge Stacy, Mr. Ricaud issued a statement last night in which he expressed warm disapproval of the "interference of the Governor in the final hours of the campaign, at the instance of politicians."

The friends of both candidates are working vigorously and both are claiming that their candidate will be nominated. Judge Stacy is out of the city, holding a term of Superior court at Henderson but will probably reach Wilmington the latter part of the week.

The letter from Governor Craig which was made public yesterday, follows:

"To Whom It May Concern:

"My attention has been called to a rumor in the Eighth Judicial District that I had already decided to appoint Mr. W. P. Stacy to the judgeship before the delegation representing the other candidates appeared before me. Also my attention has been called to the statement of Mr. A. G. Ricaud, in his announcement that the delegation which appeared before me in his behalf was heard on the same day that the commission was issued to my appointee, and that at that time 'the matter had already been determined and the appointment made' without even an intimation from me that this had been done. These statements are incorrect and have no basis. At the time I left my office in the afternoon of the day that Mr. Ricaud's delegation appeared before me I had not decided whom I would appoint. I thought over the matter during the night, and issued the commission to Judge Stacy next day, having come to the conclusion that his habits, character and temperament eminently fitted him for this exalted position. I gave full consideration to every candidate whose names were presented to me, and my only desire was to arrive at a correct conclusion as to who was the best and most available man to appoint. I treated with fairness and candor every delegation that appeared before me, and did not make up my mind until I had heard all of them.

"Yours truly,
"LOCKE CRAIG.

"Raleigh, N. C., May 30th, 1916."

Mr. Ricaud's Statement.

The following statement was issued last night by Mr. Ricaud:

"To the Voters of the Eighth Judicial District of North Carolina:

"The Governor of this State has gone out of his way to interfere in a contest for the judgeship of this District, and makes the statement that my letter of announcement of my candidacy is most inaccurate in regard to the allegations therein as to when the appointment of Judge Stacy was made, which allegations were made on information and belief, and so stated in my letter. However, the exact fact may be as to when the ink dried on Judge Stacy's commission, I challenge Governor Craig to deny as facts the following:

"The endorsements of my candidacy by the Bar of Wilmington was forwarded to Gov. Craig on the night of the 26th day of November, at which time he was in the North, and did not return to his office until about noon of the 29th, and heard my delegation of friends in the afternoon, and the appointment of Judge Stacy was known throughout North Carolina the next morning.

"That he gave consideration to my candidacy I have no doubt, but he either gave it before he ever left his office, or ever saw my endorsements, or gave powerful little, and about the kind a boy gives the frog when prodding him with sticks, and I am inclined to the latter view of the matter.

"I also challenge him to deny that he plainly intimated to Messrs. Mangum Turner, B. G. Empie and Clayton Grant, who represented me before him, that he would consider any further endorsements of my candidacy, in response to which some of them returned home and had my friends forward telegrams from business houses until stopped by information from those who remained next morning that the appointment had been made

"I have no desire to enter into any controversy with Mr. Craig, but when he goes out of his way to enter a local fight at the instance of my personal enemies, whom I could name, I shall not remain silent and let efforts to antagonize me remain unanswered so long as I am clothed with the rights of a free man to the same extent as he is, although he may be clothed for a moment with rapidly passing power.

"I leave it to the voters of this district to determine under these circumstances whether the interference by the Governor in the final hours of the campaign, at the instance of politicians and for the purpose of publication of his letter with the view of promoting Judge Stacy's candidacy is a proper exercise of the functions of his office or within the proprieties of the dignity of his place.

"Very truly,
"A. G. RICAUD."

Godwin procured an appropriation of $600,000 for a new Custom House and Federal Court Building. That's something big; don't you think?

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MEMBERS OF W. L. I. TO TRAIN AT FORT CASWELL IN AUGUST.

Local Militiamen Will Man Big Guns During Encampment.

Announcement was made yesterday by Capt. Edward P. Bailey, of the Wilmington Light Infantry, officially known as the Second Company, C. A. C., N. C. N. G., that he has received a communication from the adjutant general's department setting the time and place for the encampment and maneuvers of the local troops, and that the encampment will be at Fort Caswell from August 7 to 18.

The annual encampment is always looked forward to with great interest by the members of the W. L. I. and they will doubtless enter upon their period of training this year with more zest than usual, as they will in all probability be given complete charge of manning the big guns at the fort. Since the 36th Company at Fort Caswell was ordered to the Mexican border, there are no regular troops at the Fort regularly assigned to the manning of the guns. The 19th Company, which is on duty there now is a mine command, largely concerned with the laying of mines at the mouth of the Cape Fear.

It is thought that the recently formed coast artillery corps of the South Carolina National Guard may come to Fort Caswell for its first practical training in August. It if should, the local troops will have the opportunity of executing maneuvers incident to the engagements of large bodies of men.

—A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce is called for this afternoon at 4 o'clock by President L. E. Hall, at which time the report of the committee on the new constitution and by-laws will be submitted. A large attendance of members is desired.

—Mr. R. E. L. Brown, of Chadbourn, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

Remember—Godwin secured the appropriations for our fine system of locks and dams. Don't forget that when you vote.

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The Shoe Situation

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At such a time you should go only to the retailer whose financial standing and outlet for a large volume gives assurance of best service—who has contracted for his staple shoes far in advance at figures which will mean quite a saving to you.

At no time in the world's history have shoes gone higher than they are today, and everything points to still higher for next season. However, our stock is yet complete at old prices and will remain practically the same throughout the season.

Step in today and let our salesmen fit you—they'll do it correctly.

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Mrs. P. F. Duffy is visiting relatives and friends in Greensboro.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Green have moved to their cottage at Wrightsville Beach for the summer.

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The regular meeting of the House committee of the Y. W. C. A. will be held this morning at 10 o'clock.

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Mrs. C. E. Wood and daughter have returned from a very pleasant visit to friends and relatives at Burgaw.

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Mr. V. R. C. King and his sister, Miss Ruth King, left last evening for points in New York State to spend several weeks.

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The Hospital Circle of King's Daughters will hold its regular meeting this morning at 11:30 o'clock at No. 121 South Fifth street.

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Mrs. M. J. Cain has left for her home at Lufkins, Texas, after spending several months with her daughter, Mrs. E. Z. Milton, of Seagate.

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The regular monthly business meeting of the Philathea class of the First Baptist church will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will be held this afternoon at the church at 3:30 o'clock.

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The Dorcas Society of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church will hold a meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Luther Memorial hall, corner Sixth and Princess streets. All members are requested to be present.

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A musicale for the benefit of Winter Park Methodist church will be given at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hall at Winter Park tomorrow night. The church is now in process of building. An attractive programme will be carried out and refreshments served.

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The "Thebares" class of Grace Methodist church Sunday school will give an automobile ride around the loop this evening. The cars will assemble at Grace church and will leave promptly at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to join the party. A small charge will be made.

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The following young ladies enjoyed a delightful house party at Wrightsville Beach from Sunday morning until Tuesday evening: Misses Anna Banks, Vera Furlong, Elizabeth Bullard, Anna Quinlivan, Catherine Brewer, Elizabeth Sweeney, Lucile Boushea and Kathleen Bergen. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. White chaperoned the party.

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Cooleemee Cottage will be formally opened under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. at Wrightsville Beach tomorrow. Those desiring to take supper at the club tomorrow night are requested to notify the Y. W. C. A. office as soon as possible so arrangements can be made to entertain members desiring to attend. Mrs. Rose Harrison, who will be hostess this season at the club, arrived yesterday from her home in Tennessee. Those desiring season tickets may get them at the club.

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Washington, N. C., May 31.—Carl Goerch, editor of the Washington Daily News, and Miss Sibyl Wallace, a Texas young woman, are to be married tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Harman, at 2011 Columbus avenue, Waco, Tex. They will be at home here in a few days. Mr. Goerch has been a resident of this city a year or two. He is a native of Tarrytown, N. Y., but lived in Texas last year, being a part of the time on the border. The prospective bride is well connected in and around Waco, and is reputed to be an accomplished and pretty young woman.

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INVITATIONS RECEIVED FOR FONVEILLE-FOGLEMAN WEDDING

Handsomely engraved invitations reading as follows have been received by friends here:

Mr. Luther Christian Fogleman
invites you to attend
the marriage of his daughter
Pearle
to
Mr. Wayne Alexander Fonvielle
Wednesday, June 14, at 4 p. m.
West Dormitory,
Elon College, North Carolina.

The bride-to-be is an accomplished young womn of charming personality and is a member of the faculty of Elon College. Her father is a well known business man of Durham. Mr. Fonvielle is a popular young real estate man in Wilmington being connected with the agency of Mr. L. W. Moore.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL HOLDS ITS CLOSING EXERCISES

More Than 250 Persons Attended Commencement Entertainment.

More than 250 friends and patrons of the school attended the commencement exercises of St. Mary's school, Fifth and Ann streets, last night. The speaker of the evening was Rev. Father Bour, who was introduced by the Very Rev. Father C. Dennen.

Two of the features of the attractive programme which was carried out was a musical fairy play entitled, "Mid Summer Eve," and a minstrel show by the boys of the school. The programme was opened by a chorus composed of kindergarten pupils who sang, "If You Were Us, andWe Were You." The remainder of the programme was as follows:

Mid-Summer Eve (A Musical Fairy Play) Cast of Characters: Queen Mab Miss Anna Torpy; Dorothy, Rose Allen; Herald, Willie Schuler; Pages, John Sheehan, Louis Carroll; Arbitus, Elizabeth Campbell; Innocence, Kitty Corbett; Will-'othe-Wisps, Little Green Elves and Flowers. Pianist, Mrs. J. Nigel.

Minstrel Show, by the boys: Interlocutor, (Mr. Frank). Edward Gillerlain; Joseph Strain, Henry Bosma, Billie Corbett, John Furlong, jokers; pianist, Mr. Charles Phipps.

There were no graduates this year,but Miss Anna Torpy was awarded the certificate for excellence in the Palmer system of handwriting; and Miss Katherine Bremer received the prize of $2.50 in gold for excellence in sewing.

SCHEDULE B TAXES DUE

Sheriff Cowan Now Ready to Renew the Licenses for Persons Liable.

According to an announcement made yesterday morning at the office of Sheriff S. P. Cowan, schedule B taxes are due and persons paying promptly will save costs.

In this schedule are included: Lawyers, real estate agents, physicians, dealers in cigarettes and tobacco, operators of pool and billiard tables and bowling alleys, and a number of others.

FIRE APPARATUS FOR BEACH

City Council Refuses to Loan Material But Offers to Sell—Other Business Taken Up.

Mayor Thos. H. Wright, of the town of Wrightsville Beach, and Alderman L. Stein appeared before the City Council at its regular weekly meeting yesterday to ask that in view of the fact that at the annual meeting of the board of aldermen of the resort on Tuesday afternoon, it had been decided to put in fire protection, that the city fathers allow them the use of two tanks from an old fire truck at the engine house at Sixth and Castle streets. They did not ask that it be given them but simply wanted to borrow it.

While the councilmen agreed with Mayor Wright that the beach is practically a part of Wilmington, they could not see their way clear to loan the apparatus but expressed a willingness to sell it at a reasonable figure as the city has no further use for the apparatus desired. Mayor Wright stated that a volunteer fire company was to be organized. Councilman Bunting and Fire Chief Schnibben were appointed a committee to attend to the matter.

Former Councilman T. W. Wood addressed the board briefly in which he called attention to an ordinance he had tried to get through when he was councilman providing for the taxing of the gross income of the Tidewater Power Company. He still thought it a good thing. He also wanted some information about the proposed new lighting system for the city as he understood that the old poles were to remain. He had been out of the city at the time the new contract was made with the Tidewater Power Company, he stated. He thought that the proposed system of lighting, known as the indirect system, was of little value and maintained that the cluster system was the only one worth anything, being used in many of the more progressive cities. Councilman Merritt and other members of the board informed him that the proposed system was considered the most modern to be had.

At the request of J. O. Carr, Esq., attorney for the Simmons' Forced Grate Company, a committee composed of Councilmen Jones, McCaig and Bunting was appointed to pass upon the merits of a recent test made at the waterworks plant furnaces.

LOCAL DOTS

—The final Sunday school excursions to Wrightsville Beach will be run today and tomorrow. The members of the Southside and Calvary Baptist Sunday schools will go down today on special cars as the guests of the Tidewater Power Company. They will leave at 10:15 a. m. and 2:15 p. m., respectively. Tomorrow, Grace Methodist Sunday school pupils will enjoy their annual outing.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Steamer Wilmington to Make Carolina Beach Twice Daily.

Beginning Sunday, June 4, the steamer Wilmington will make two trips daily to Carolina Beach and Southport. The steamer will leave its dock upon the inauguration of its summer schedule at 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. for down river points; and returning will leave Southport at 11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. and Carolina Beach at 6 P. M.

Among the improvements which have been made at Carolina Beach since last season are the rebuilding of the river pier, while a 30-room hotel is under construction and will be finished by the latter part of June. With the advent of summer weather a large number of cottagers have moved down to their residences at the beach. The improved steamer schedules will doubtless be the means of inducing many who wish to escape the heat of the city to take a cool sail down the river.

Many new cottages have been erected at the beach, and the residents down there express themselves as being confident that it is becoming more popular each season. The newly completed hard surfaced road to the beach makes a trip by automobile a very pleasant jaunt.

BEACH SEASON TO BEGIN

Saturday and Things Are Already Beginning to Hum—Seashore Hotel Will Open Today.

With the opening of the Wrightsville Beach season only two days off, things are already beginning to hum at the seaside, all of which indicates one of the most successful seasons in the history of the resort.

The Seashore Hotel opens today under the capable management of Capt. Edgar L. Hinton and the indications now are that it will be filled with guests from very early in the season. There are a number of people who spend the entire summer at the hotel, and some are expected to arrive today. Mr. W. E. Pennington, chief clerk at the Seashore for a number of years, has already arrived to assume the duties of his position. He is one of the most popular hotel men Wrightsville Beach has ever had.

Mr. Pennington will be assisted by Mr. James Divine, who is also known to hundreds of tourists who annually visit the Beach for a long or short sojourn.

The Oceanic Hotel, which is undergoing extensive repairs and improvements, will be under the management of Mr. Charles E. Hooper this year and will open about June 10.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. Clewell Howell has returned from Davidson College to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Andrew J. Howell.

—Among the arrivals at the Imperial hotel last night were E. J. Smith, Raleigh; W. F. Sandlin, Councils; W. T. Flynn, Currie; Graham Moore, Charlotte; J. F. Lucas, Delway; Mrs. Ella Powell, Wake Forest; J. B. Melvin, Rocky Mount; J. W. Spicer, Onslow county.

—Mr. L. J. Merriman, formerly of Wilmington, now residing at Charleston, S. C., and Savannah, Ga., where the truckers of those sections are taking up the use of the Merriman Plant Cover, is spending a few days in Wilmington on business and on a visit to his home.

HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES

Dr. J Wilbur Chapman Preaches to G. A. R. Veterans in Keen, N. H.

At the morning service of the Chapman-Alexander tabernacle in Keene, N. H., on last Sunday there were more than 2,000 people present and in spite of threatening clouds overhead, half a hundred members of the local camp of the Grand Army of the Republic attended in a body, says the Evening Sentinel of that city. Other delegations at the Memorial service included the Sons of Veterans, the Women's Relief Corps and the Spanish War Veterans. The Tabernacle was decorated with flags and bunting.

"In a very pleasing and effective way," says Monday's Sentinel, "Dr Chapman spoke of a meeting with the veterans of the Gray while recently in Wilmington, N. C., and expressed his gladness that the bitterness between the North and the South was over, and pointed out that the North and South were co-operating in realizing that the hand of God was in the outcome of the terrible Civil war, half a century ago. The doctor's sermon to the veterans and allied orders was of a patriotic nature, and from the text 'I have fought the good fight,' etc. He spoke of two of his favorite heroes, St. Paul and General Grant, and drew patriotic and ennobling lessons from the lives of these heroes."

"The first direct invitation for the Christian life so far in the campaign," The Sentinel states in its account of the Sunday services, "was given Sunday afternoon and repeated in the evening. The paternal spirit of Dr. Chapman was at its best as he stood in front of the platform and in tender words of sympathy and love asked those accepting Christ, or those making fresh decisions in the Christian life, to come forward and take his hand. A score of people responded in the afternoon and three score of varying ages in the evening. After coming forward to the assigned front seat the local ministers, members of the Chapman party and others talked individually to them, followed by simple words of explanation and assurance on the part of Dr. Chapman."

MR. NOE WILL REMAIN HERE

Wilmington Rector to Continue as Archdeacon Until Next January. New Plan of Administration.

That the Rev. Thos. P. Noe is to continue as archdeacon of the Wilmington Convocation until January 1st of next year and after that time has consented to become superintendent of the Wilmington Associate Mission, will be learned with much interest by his many hundreds of friends throughout the State. As already announced in the press, at the recent meeting of the Council at Kinston, it was decided to change the system of administration of the mission work of the Diocese of East Carolina which, it is believed, will result in much greater efficiency.

The Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst stated that the resolution offered at the recent meeting of Council calling for the abolishment of the office of Archdeacon could not be construed as a lack of appreciation of the splendid work done by Archdeacon Noe, but that it simply voiced an opinion on the part of many members of the Council that the affairs of the diocese could be more efficiently administered under a different system.

Both the Bishop and the members of the Council were unanimous in feeling that no one under the archdeacon system could do more than Mr. Noe was doing, and if the Council had elected or the Bishop appointed an archdeacon at its recent meeting, the present incumbent would undoubtedly have been chosen.

The Bishop had not contemplated any change in the system at this time, but in view of the fact that the resolution was offered and that Mr. Noe, following the resolution, resigned his office, before the resolution was voted on, it was considered wiser to enter upon a new system which would enable the Bishop and the executive committee to place two or more strong men in the diocese who would be able to give more individual attention to strategic points than any man, however willing and able, could give when trying to cover 33 counties.

The new plan is to form two or more "Associate Missions" embracing from five to ten counties each under the direction of the strongest men who can be obtained.

The first and in many respects the most important of these "Associate Missions" will be the one embracing the territory around Wilmington, including the counties of New Hanover, Pender, Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus and part of Robeson.

The Rev. Thos P. Noe, because of his eminent fitness for such constructive extension work, has been asked to become superintendent of the Wilmington Associate Mission, and realizing as he does, the tremendous importance of such work and the splendid opportunity which it offers for the most efficient service, has consented to accept the position.

At the urgent request of the Bishop and the executive missionary committee, he will retain his office of Archdeacon of the diocese until January 1st, 1917, and by that time it is hoped that the "Associate Mission" system will have been inaugurated in two or more strategic points in the diocese outside of the territory which will be under the especial charge of Mr. Noe.

Mr. Noe's many friends in Wilmington and throughout the diocese will be delighted to know that he is to take up this important work and feel assured that under his wise leadership it will be a great success.

TO DELIVER COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS IN CHARLESTON.

Bishop Thos. C. Darst Will Speak to Knights Templars in That City.

Rt. Rev. Thos. C. Darst, D. D., Bishop of the Diocese of East Carolina, will preach the commencement sermon for the closing exercises of Porter Military Academy, a well known institution for boys in Charleston, S. C., on next Sunday morning.

Bishop Darst, who is grand chaplain of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons, has been invited to preach the annual sermon to the South Carolina Commandery, Knights Templar, in Grace church in that city on next Sunday night. This is the oldest organization of the Knights Templar in the country.

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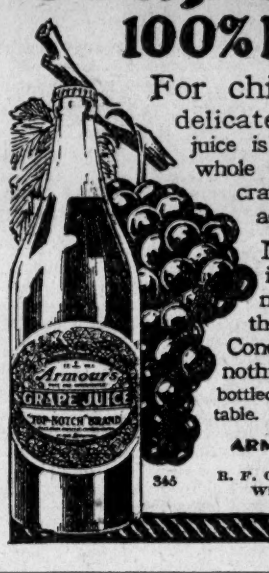

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THEATRICAL

There are moments in one's life when a scrawl from home, a phone message or a telegram, foretelling of some sorrow, dear to our hearts, brings us back to the question of religion, for the riddle of life and death emanates from the supernatural and spiritual things in moments like these, strike home to the mind. "Salvation Joan", that spectacular seven-reel Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature at the Royal today, which exalts the work of the Salvation Army, contains a powerful appeal in its treatment of the noble work of the shepherds who go into the highways and the byways for lost lambs, and differs greatly from the general run of theatrical productions.

There is gaiety and grandeur of the kind in that sumptuous residence where, however, the intrigue of a number of anti-American propagandists make things mean for the patient Joan. Harry Morey in the support of Miss Edna May, who has the title role, is everything that could be desired by the most sentimental worshipper of matinee idols on the map. Dorothy Kelley, as Joan's sister, also helps beautiful Edna May to get the wonderful story of the play over with the proper effect told in five reels, so intense and jammed is the action, and the all-star cast which enacts it make it one of the greatest features seen in many days.

Today at the Bijou.

A sensational thriller that will keep you gasping for two entire reels, is "A Fight for Life," today's topliner at the Bijou, starring G. Raymond Nye and beautiful Roberta Wilson in the leading roles. It is a story depicting the inner methods of the terrible Camorra, or Black Hand, and the secret devices of their dread organization. The third degree applied to a man whom the Camorra has "framed" is one of the punches of this startling dramatic feature.

A most unexpected climax at the end, and a thread of love interest all the way through, combine to put punch after punch into a most vigorous presentation, with enough action crammed into two reels to make five reels of the ordinary feature.

Myrtle Gonzales, beautiful as ever, appears with Fred Church and Jack Curtis in "Her Great Part", a stirring story of the stage that will interest you from beginning to end.

"A Wife for a Ransom" is a rousing Joker comedy feature starring those inimitable fun-makers, William Franey, Lillian Peacock, Charles Conklin and Gale Henry.

EDNA MAY.
The Stage Beauty in Vitagraph's Imposing Seven-Act Filmization of "Salvation Joan" at the Royal Today.

and the elegant mannerisms of one Bobby Connelly, the marvelous child actor, are really a feature extraordinary.

"Salvation Joan" is a work of love for Edna May, and is a stirring story of the Salvation Army work, of the fascinating secret service, a story of love and self denial, of riches and poverty. "Salvation Joan" is the second greatest production ever evolved by J. Stuart Blackton, his greatest feature being "The Battle Cry of Peace." "Salvation Joan" as far as can be ascertain, has never yet been presented to adults at admission under 20 cents. "Salvation Joan" is today's great feature at the Royal.

At the Grand Today.

"Sudden Riches", the third of the great William A. Brady-Lee Schubert photoplays which you read about in the Saturday Evening Post of two weeks ago and which you will see more about in today's issue of The Post, is today's startling and original offering at the Grand theatre, a stupendous six-reel production starring that eminent dramatic artist, Robert Warwick, with a brilliant supporting cast including beautiful Garda Holmes and Clara Whipple, each of which is a distinguished dramatic leading lady.

The story of "Sudden Riches" deals with a legacy of hate. A miser and recluse wills his great fortune to his nephew Robert, in a spirit of revenge. He counts on the sudden wealth to wreck the young man's life.

Robert, his young wife and baby are perfectly happy until old Abner's millfall at their feet. What follows out the cunning old miser's prothe sudden riches lead them toward destruction. The spirdeal home is first caught, and changed attitude resulting udden acquisition of wealth. ors opened to fashion and and and wife drift apart. is carrying on an affair lle actress, Marion is re- ns from a great sculptor hild Emily is eating nd crying herself to y that could not be

At the Royal Tomorrow.

The assignment of characters for the cast of Rex Beach's stupendous ten-act motion picture sensation, "The Ne'er Do Well" shows careful and fit selection, so that those who have read the great novel will immediately recognize the characters from their word descriptions in the story.

No happier choice could have been made for the strong part of Kirk Anthony than Wheeler Oakman. He has the build, the looks and the youth of the well-bred university man and athlete. He has the bearing, too, and heaven knows he displays athletic prowess that leaves no apology for what is undone. And withal, he is a ladies' man, one of the kind that never tries to break hearts but always fights to win that of the woman he loves.

In the part of Edith Cortlandt, wife of "the other man", Kathlyn Williams makes the strongest appeal of the whole feature, one that will win for her the judgment that in it she has given her best studied and greatest effort before the camera. Never before has Miss Williams sustained a role that called for such keen insight of a brilliant woman's mind and a corresponding subtlety of interpretation.

Harry Lonsdale, Frank Clark and Jack McDonald, old chums and partners in "The Spoilers," are fully at home. Norma Nichols in the role of the dazzling Southern beauty, "Chiquita" is a beautiful, fascinating, roguelsh creature of vivacious Spanish mind and action. Sidney Smith, Fred Huntley and Lamar Johnstone furnish the other leading roles.

"The Ne'er Do Well" in ten reels, is booked for tomorrow and Saturday at the Royal.

NOVEL SUIT AGAINST RAILROAD.

Passenger Seeks Damages for Injuries in Fistic Encounter.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., May 31.—Some time during the month of August, 1915, J. F. M. Mills, of Onslow county, and George Wooten, of Fort Barnwell, engaged in a fistic encounter on board an Atlantic Coast Line train en route from Wilmington to Newbern.

They were placed under arrest by Capt. W. H. Newell, brought to Newbern and after being given a hearing before a magistrate, they were fined. Mr. Mills, who received the worst end of the fight, decided to sue the railway company and the case comes up this week in Onslow county Superior court. Captain Newell and several witnesses have gone there to attend the trial.

COMMITTEE IS NAMED TO PUT PLANS THROUGH

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as the ones we have mentioned, and we understand that since the packing house was established that quite a number of the farmers have been able to pay off past due accounts, some of which have been standing several years, and that now they are getting in position to pay cash for their groceries, dry goods, fertilizers and other things that they once bought on credit. This was verified by the merchants, bankers and other business men of Moultrie.

"The merchants both in the city and rural districts are very much pleased that conditions have changed. We interviewed both wholesale and retail merchants who stated without a single exception, that their trade was good, and that cash sales especially had been much better since the packing house was established. One retired merchant stated that it would not do for farmers to overdo the hog raising business, but thought that they should still plant some cotton and other money crops.

"One prominent business man says that the farmers must be educated to market their hogs intelligently, and not put al of them on the market at once, but sell them a few at a time, in order that they may realize more out of them. The small farmer who raises from 10 to 25 hogs are the ones that are mostly benefited, in his opinion.

"The cost of raising hogs varies from two to six cents per pound from the information we could gather. In our opinion hogs can be raised in our section cheaper than the section around Moultrie, as our water shpply is better, as there are so many more branches, swamps and rivers around here. Most of the country around Moultrie is a rolling country where there are but few swamps, branches and rivers. The soil being red pebble soil with dark gray loamy surface from 6 to 12 inches Sub-soil of porous sand clay with stiff pipe clay underneath. However, the territory around Moultrie is developing rapidly. The population of Colquitt county in the year 1900 was 13,600 people; in 1910, it was 20,000, and we understand that there has been an increase of nearly 50 per cent in the last five years. Taxable values in 1904 were in round numbers three million dollars; in 1915, they were six and one-half million.

"Ten or 12 years ago unimproved land was selling at from $5 to $7 an acre, and now it brings from $20 to $30 an acre. Good roads are being built rapidly. There are over 400 miles of sand-clay roads completed, and they are adding six miles a month of good roads to this.

"There are 3,250 farms. The number of white farmers is 2,600, and the number of negro farmers is 400. Acres of land in county, 352,000. Farm land of county, 281,000 acres. In 1915 there were 68,105 hogs in the county. There was 35 per cent of improved farm land, and an average of 37 per cent of improved acres per farm. The mean, or average, temperature is 81. Rainfall 48.8. We give you this information in order that you may draw a fair comparison of the Moultrie section with the one in which you live.

"This is the second summer that the packing house has been in operation. It is up-to-date and complete in every respect. We understand that the cost of building, machinery and everything complete for operation was $94,000, and that since it was built there has been an addition made to the plant at a cost of $50,000. The capacity is 850 hogs daily. During the busy season they employ about 100 men, and about half this many during the spring and summer months. Most of the labor is cheap labor, as it requires only a few skilled men who are paid possibly from $75 to $125 per month.

"The amount of sales of the finished product during the past 12 months was about $1,000,000, and they expect to do about a $2,000,000 business during this year, so we were informed. They buy hogs at all times and never refuse a shipment unless hogs are unfit to use. They can handle any size hog and the only distinction between a large hog and a small one is the price. The farmers find that hogs that are well bred and in good condition pay better than the ordinary hog that has not been put in condition for market, though there is ready sale at all times for hogs that are not diseased, and too poor to market. Cholera killed a number of hogs in that section recently, or the farmers would have made more money than they did.

"Shipments of hogs are sent in from points in Alabama and Florida, coming from possibly 100 to 150 miles away, and mostly consist of carload lots. The farmers in immediate vicinity bring them in in wagons and carts. The railroads make attractive rates and we were informed that their rates compared favorably with rates to Chicago and other large centers.

"The finished product is sold in a good many of the large cities; Atlanta, Jacksonville, Macon and all of the smaller places in Southwest Georgia handle the product put out, and we understand that it is equally as good as the same meats put out by Swift, Armour and the larger packers. They have no trouble competing with the larger packers and a good many times they sell meat in car lots to them. They put out the same kinds of meats, with the exception of canned goods. The lard put out is second to none and finds ready sale.

"We notice that they pack their meat in much more attractive packages than the larger packers do, which is quite a saving to both the wholesale and retail merchants. The larger packers are not antagonistic, and we believe they would at any time be glad to purchase a packing house of this kind, situated in the South, at a fair profit.

"The management of a packing house of this size must be the very best that can be obtained, and with a thoroughly experienced man as manager, we see no reason why it would not be a paying proposition. As to the profits that have been made by the packing house at Moultrie since it has been established, we are unable to give you this data. We were reliably informed that they had made quite a handsome profit.

"We don't believe it would pay our city and community to build a packing house smaller than the one at Moultrie, and if your committee sees fit to recommend to the citizens of this section that they organize to build an up-to-date packing house here, we will be glad to go before a meeting of the citizens and answer any questions that they may ask us.

"We will close with the suggestion that it will be absolutely necessary, in our opinion, for us to have a free ferry or bridge over the Cape Fear river, to make a packing house here successful, and good roads leading into the city will also help a great deal.

"Respectfully submitted,
"W. W. LOVE,
"A. M. CHINNIS,
"A. M. LUCAS."

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OUTCOME OF PRIMARY AN UNKNOWN QUANTITY

Difference of 54,000 Between Bickett and Daughtridge Claims.

Fight May be Much Closer Than Had Been Anticipated—Two New Western Carolina Corporations Chartered.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 31.—A difference of 54,000 in the estimates, or claims, as to the outcome of the Bickett-Daughtridge contest for the Democratic nomination for Governor Saturday about illustrates the variance of views of the people generally on the possible outcome. A State-wide primary is declare dto be very much of an unknown quantity in this State at best and the strennous and largely "submarine" political warfare that has been going on directly between the candidates, their local workers and the voters makes the situation all the more problematical.

A few weeks ago the great majority of the political observers would readily say that it looked like Bickett by a big majority. In the meantime the noise of the campaign has confused these observers and they hesitate to risk their best judgment, although the view that Bickett will be nominated still holds considerable sway. The claims of the Daughtridge management that he will win by 24,000 and of the Bickett management that his majority will be 30,000, develops the view that this may be a much closer and harder fight than some had thought.

Charters were issued today for two Western Carolina corporations as follows:

The Avery Land Co., of Newland, Avery county, capital $20,000 authorized and $12,000 subscribed by L. H. Snodgrass, W. M. and J. W. Buck, of Johnson City, Tenn.; C. B. Von Cannon, of Banner Elk, and J. W. Ragland, of Newland, for developing farm and timber lands and real estate generally.

The Asheville Cycle & Electric Co., of Asheville, capital $25,000 authorized and $2,000 subscribed by S. A. Johnson, George W. Graham and W. E. Reed for manufacture and sale of motor vehicles, operating them for hire and doing a general electric wiring business.

SOFT SHELL CRABS ABUNDANT.

No Prospect of Diminishing Supply in Beaufort Section.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., May 31.—Contrary to predictions made a couple of weeks ago by some of the fishermen in this section to the effect that the "crop" of soft crabs which has been found in local waters for the past few weeks would soon diminish, the supply still holds good and there are said to be millions of this variety of water food in this section.

Reports from Morehead City and Beaufort are to the effect that the supply of crabs at those places also continues unusually large.

CARLOAD CATTLE SHIPPED

Not an Unusual Occurrence at Magnolia—Politics in Duplin are Red Hot.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Magnolia, N. C., May 31.—Mr. W. J. Pickett, a Duplin county farmer, shipped a solid carload of beef cattle from this point today. There has been several carloads of cattle shipped from here in the last year in addition to almost daily shipments of dressed beef and pork and quantities of poultry and eggs. If there is a packing house established in Wilmington, it will greatly benefit Duplin county farmers, as it will give them a steady market for their livestock, poultry and eggs, and would thereby cause stock raising to greatly increase in this county.

Politics are getting red hot in this section now and the candidates are doing some hard work, Mr. J. J. Bowden, the present register of deeds, was in town yesterday as was also Sheriff Best, and today Mr. A. R. Bland, of the firm of Parker & Bland, of Rose Hill, is in town in the interest of his candidacy for register of deeds. Mr. Eugene A. Pearsall is also seeking the nomination for register of deeds. Mr. A. J. Pickett, a merchant and farmer of near Kenansville, and Mr. George R. Ward, a lawyer of Wallace, are opponents for the nomination for the House of Representatives. Mr. Pickett is a "free ranger" and is very popular with the free range voters. Up to the present time Mr. Walter Maxwell, who is to be one of the poll holders, has received tickets from the following men asking that they be voted for for the nomination for county commissioners: William Middleton, S. O. Bowden, D. H. Williams, John W. Hollingsworth, William G. Kornegay. There seems to be a large crop of candidates for all the county offices and Mr. Maxwell says that the number keeps increasing as he receives additional tickets in almost every mail.

O. C. JONES ESCAPES ROADS.

Goldsboro Merchant Allowed to Pay Fine and Costs in Whiskey Case.

Goldsboro, N. C., May 31.—The case of O. C. Jones, a prominent clothing merchant of this city, indicted in the county court and pleading guilty upon the charge of illegally importing whiskey into this city, and sentenced by Judge Bland to six months on the roads, came up before Judge Lyon in Superior court today on appeal.

There was a numerously signed representative petition addressed to Judge Lyon pleading that the road sentence of the county court be changed to a fine and costs and bond for good behavior. After considering humanely all the features of the case, Judge Lyon changed the sentence, imposing in lieu thereof a fine of $250 and costs, and requiring the defendant to enter into a bond of $200 to appear regularly at court from term to term for a period of two years and show good behavior.

PRESIDENT CANNOT GO

Decides it is Impossible to Attend Virginia Democratic Convention.

Washington, May 31.—President Wilson, who thought several days ago he might attend the Virginia Democratic convention at Roanoke Friday, decided today that it would be impossible for him to go. He so informed Representative Glass, who extended the invitation.

GODWIN AGAINST LABOR

The Following Editorial Appeared in the Railway Carmen's Journal of May 1916

SIXTY-SEVEN VOTED TO "SOAK" LABOR

March 14, 1916, is a day which the working people of the United States should fix in their memories. On that day sixty-seven reactionary politicians in the House of Representatives voted to lengthen the working day from seven hours to eight for 30,000 government civil employes in Washington.

Representative William P. Borland, of Missouri is the one who conceived this reactionary labor policy and tried to put it in operation by an amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, embodying his labor ideas. Owing to sundry points of order raised against it, the amendment passed through three parliamentary stages. In its final form the House took a yea and nay vote on the proposition.

"Here is the amendment as given in the Congressional Record:

"Mr. Borland moves to re-commit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back forthwith with the following amendment:

"On page 150 add as a new paragraph the following:

"No part of any amount herein appropriated shall be used to pay salaries or for personal services in any executive department of the government of the city of Washington which does not, subject to the provisions and exceptions of section 7 of the legislative, executive and judicial act, approved March 15, 1898, require eight hours of labor each day."

The effect of this amendment would have been to increase from seven to eight hours the working day for over 30,000 government clerks in Washington, with no increase in wages or salaries.

Despite the fact that the above amendment was defeated by large majorities on three separate votes, after the chair had ruled that the motion to make it a "rider" to an appropriation bill was out of order, Borland introduced a resolution which provided for a 10 per cent reduction of the number of clerks and that hours be increased to equalize the loss of service to the government which was also defeated. A motion to re-commit this resolution was also lost.

Here is the list of the immortal sixty-seven representatives, arranged by states, who voted for this reactionary labor policy:

Georgia—Bell, Thomas M.; Crisp, Charles R.; Lee, Gordon; Park, Frank; Tribble, Samuel J.; Vinson, Carl; Walker, J. Randall.

Iowa—Steele, Thomas J.

Indiana—Cox, William E.; Moores, Merrill.

Kansas—Connelly, John R.; Doolittle, Dudley; Helvering, Guy T.; Shouse, Jouett.

Kentucky—Barkley, Alben W.; Fields, William J.; Helm, Harvey; Johnson, Ben; Kincheloe, David H.; Rouse, Arthur B.; Thomas, Robert Y.

Massachusetts—Gardner, Augustus P.; Gillett, Frederick H.

Michigan—McLaughlin, James C.; Mapes, Carl E.

Missouri—Booher, Charles F.; Borland, William P.; Dickinson, Clement C.; Hensley, Walter L.; Rucker, William W.

Mississippi—Collier, James W.; Quin, Percy E.; Sisson, Thomas U.; Stephens, Hubert D.

Nebraska—Kinkaid, Moses P.; Sloan, Charles H.

North Carolina—Doughton, Robert L.; **GODWIN, HANNIBAL L.**; Page, Robert N.; Webb, Edwin Y.

North Dakota—Norton, Patrick D.

Ohio—Gordon, William.

Oklahoma—Carter, Charles D.; Davenport, James S.; Hastings, William W.; Murray, William H.; Thompson, Joseph B.

Tennessee—Burns, Joseph W.; Garrett, Finis J.; Houston, William C.; Hull, Cordell; Sims, Thetus W.

Texas—Black, Eugene, Buchanan, James P.; Burgess, George F.; Davis, James H.; Dies, Martin; Garner, John N.; Hardy, Rufus; Rayburn, Sam; Slayden, James L.; Smith, William R.; Summers, Hatton W.; Young, James; Eagle, Joe H.

Virginia—Saunders, Edward W.

Wisconsin—Stafford, William H.

This attempt to lengthen the clerks' work day was strenuously opposed by the American Federation of Labor. President Gompers, however, agreed that hours should be equalized, but insisted that the work day of mechanics and other workers who now work eight hours and longer should be shortened instead of the clerks' hours lengthened.

The only commendable feature about this entire agitation is the fact that it resulted in the formation of a Federal Civil Service Employes' Union chartered by the American Federation of Labor, which hundreds of clerks are joining.

(Advertisement.)

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FOR

SECRETARY OF STATE

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"No man in public life in my day has taken a deeper interest in everything that tends to promote the welfare of North Carolina than yourself.

"I have never known you to fail to respond to the call of your party. In every campaign in which I have been engaged for twenty years you have been active in working for party success whether at the time you were a candidate yourself or not.

"It does not seem to me to be wise, or in the interest of efficiency in public business, to remove from office a man who has shown himself by long and able service to be in every way qualified for the duties of his office, for no better reason than that another man, who has not been tested by experience, wants it. Such, at least, has not been the policy of the Democratic party in the past, and I do not believe it will be changed in the future. I am confident that the rank and file of the party, whose only interest is in securing good government and efficient service, will not want to lose the services of a man who, like yourself, has at all times measured up to the best traditions of the party and of the State as a citizen and as a public official."—R. B. Glenn, ex-Governor of North Carolina.

FOR RECORDER

JOHN J. FURLONG

The many friends of Mr. Jno. J. Furlong respectfully present him to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, trusting that he will receive a generous support at the approaching Primary Election.

In asking for the support of the voters of this county, we feel that we can safely refer to the record heretofore made by Mr. Furlong in this office. We are sure that should he be elected to this responsible position he will temper the justice of the law with mercy to offenders, and yet so administer the duties of the Court as to preserve the peace and dignity of the community, and afford full protection to all citizens.

NOTICE

It is our pleasure to endorse for the office of County Commissioner of New Hanover County Mr. Addison Hewlett, of Masonboro Township.

Mr. Hewlett is a successful farmer and a good business man: intelligent, honest, conservative, and respected in his community. The affairs of the County should be managed by men of his character.

Respectfully,

M. S. WILLARD,
W. L. PARSLEY,
Wilmington, N. C.
May 27th, 1916.

FOR SOLICITOR

To the Democratic Voters:—

I herewith place my name before you as a candidate for the office of Solicitor of New Hanover County. If elected by our citizens to the important office of Solicitor, I shall deem it an expression of public confidence, an honor to me and a public trust, and it will be my constant aim to faithfully discharge the duties thereby imposed, in full keeping with the spirit and the letter of the law. In asking for your support, I am placing my record as a public official before you for close scrutiny and impartial investigation. What a man has done is the best evidence of what he may be expected hereafter to do. My record as police commissioner is the fullest assurance that I stand for the firm and fullest administration of the criminal law. Under no circumstances, if elected, will I unduly favor a friend or persecute an enemy. I have no ties, alliances or associations that will or can in any manner influence me in the discharge of a public trust and duty. I ask especially for the support of those citizens who believe in the fair, just, equal and firm administration of our criminal laws. W. P. JONES.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, in the Primary Election to be held June 3rd, 1916.

I shall endeavor to serve you as efficiently in the future as I have in the past. Respectfully,

ap20-45t* JOHN HAAR.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner in the Primary election, June 3rd, 1916. W. E. YOPP.

ap23-40t

VOTE FOR

R. A. WRIGHT

-: FOR :-

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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FOR SHERIFF

Geo. C. Jackson

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

My name will be presented for your consideration at Primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd.

GEO. C. JACKSON.

ap16-49t

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

The undersigned begs the privilege of placing before you once again his candidacy for Sheriff, to be voted upon at the primary, June 3rd. I seek this honor at your hands, standing upon my service of the past many years, and will appreciate deeply your support, promising at all times to make faithful returns of duty and to have an eye for the welfare of the entire community.

Respectfully,

ap8 to je3 S. P. COWAN.

R. C. Fergus for Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County. Subject to the will of the voters to be expressed in the primary to be held Saturday, June 3rd, 1916, if elected will endeavor to serve all the people to the best of my ability without control of any person or persons. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

ap 22-t-je-3. R. C. FERGUS.

FOR SHERIFF.

The undersigned again respectfully makes formal announcement of his candidacy for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover county, subject to the will of the qualified voters in the forthcoming Democratic primary, that he is making a clean race therefor, and that if nominated and elected he promises to discharge the duties of said high office without fear or favor and will appreciate the votes and active support of all his friends and others who have faith in his integrity and believe the time is ripe for a change.

my10-td JAMES N. FENNELL.

FOR SHERIFF.

I announce myself as a candidate for Sheriff of New Hanover County, and respectfully solicit the kind consideration and support of the voters at the Primary on June 3rd.

Be sure to see that you are registered, and vote for

Yours truly,

ap16-30t JOS. H. WATTERS.

FOR RECORDER

BROOKE G. EMPIE

I herewith present my name to the voters of New Hanover County for the office of Recorder, to be voted on at the primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

It will greatly gratify me to have all my old friends' support and I will thank them for any efforts in my behalf in getting some new friends to aid them in nominating me for the office.

Let lawyers interpret the law.

ap14-30t BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR RECORDER
NEW HANOVER COUNTY
J. FELTON HEAD.

To the Voters:—

In exercising the privilege of placing before you my name as a candidate for the office of Recorder of New Hanover County, to be voted on at the Primary to be held June 3rd, 1916, I beg also to assure you together with the entire public that it shall be my earnest endeavor to promote and administer the functions of that office to the end that the benefit for which the people created it shall be completely and materially realized.

Your support will be appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

J. FELTON HEAD.

FOR COMMISSIONER.

Relying upon a continuation of that good feeling, support and co-operation which the people, as a whole, have uniformly extended to the Board of Commissioners, and which has made possible whatever progress has been attained for the upbuilding of our county, I announce myself a candidate for Commissioner and will appreciate your support in the primary election on June 3rd. W. A. McGIRT.

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ADDISON HEWLETT
FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the will of the Democratic Voters in the Primary to be held June 3rd, 1916.

If elected, I promise to faithfully discharge the duties of the office.

ADDISON HEWLETT.

For House of Representatives

North Carolina General Assembly

L. CLAYTON GRANT

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Democratic Candidate for Corporation Commissioner of North Carolina.

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Account National Democratic Convention. Tickets on sale June 9, 10 and 11, limited returning June 25.

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Account Summer School University of N. C. College. Tickets on sale June 12, 13, 14, 15 15, 17 and July 3 and 10; limited returning August 1.

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Account Summer School, University of Virginia. Tickets on sale June 18 to 26, inclusive; limited returning 15 days after date of sale, except that tickets sold to Ashland may be extended to September 30 by depositing same and paying $1.00.

$18.60—Chattanooga, Tenn., and Lytle, Ga.,

Account National Military Training Camp at Ft. Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale May 1, 2, 3 and 31; June 1, 2 and 3, and July 2, 3, 4 and 5; limited returning until about one month and five days after date of sale. See Agents for particulars.

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Account Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Imperial Council. Tickets on sale July 8, 9 and 10, limited returning until July 23.

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Account International Rotary Clubs' Convention. Tickets on sale July 14, 15 and 16; limited returning until July 25.

$20.25—Nashville, Tenn.,

Account Peabody College Summer School. Tickets on sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19 and 24; July 22 and 24; limited returning until 15 days after date of sale.

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Account Grand Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles. Tickets on sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning until August 31.

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LAKE JUNALUSKA, N. C. $12.55
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On sale July 9 to 14; July 21 to 24, inclusive; July 28 to August 1, inclusive; August 6 to 9, inclusive; limited returning midnight, July 26, August 17 and 28th.

BLACK MOUNTAIN, N. C. $9.90
RIDGE CREST, N. C. $9.90
On sale June 5, 6, 15, 16, 26, 27, 29 and 30th; July 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21 and 28; August 1, 4, 14, 15 and 22nd; limited returning midnight 17 days after date of sale.

NASHVILLE, TENN $20.25
On sale June 12, 14, 15, 16, 19, 24; July 20, 22 and 24th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale.

ASHLAND, VA. $10.15
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. $10.35
On sale June 18 to 26th; limited returning 15 days from date of sale; tickets can be extended payment $1.00.

CINCINNATI, OHIO $20.50
On sale July 14, 15 and 16th; limited returning Midnight July 25th.

VICKSBURG, MISS $36.75
On sale June 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight June 22nd.

KNOXVILLE, TENN $15.70
On sale June 18, 19, 20, 24, 25 and July 1, 2, 8 and 15th; limited returning midnight 15 days following date of sale.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL $92.70
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29; limit two months.

PORTLAND, ORE $94.95
On sale June 8 to 15; July 22 to 29, inclusive; limit, two months.

SAVANNAH, GA $10.90
On sale August 12, 13 and 14; limited returning midnight, August 31st.

BUFFALO, N. Y. $30.05
On sale July 8, 9 and 10; limited returning midnight July 23rd.

PHILADELPHIA, PA. $22.30
On sale June 22, 23 and 24; limited returning midnight July 5th.

LYTLE, GA. $18.60
(Near Chattanooga), and return, account National Military Training Camp at Fort Oglethorpe. Tickets on sale during April, May, June, July and August. See ticket agent for limits and other information.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON PRICES WORK DOWN

Favorable Weather and Crop Advices Cause Further Liquidation and Decline of 9 to 14 Points.

New York, May 31.—Favorable weather and crop advices caused some further liquidation in the cotton market here today and prices worked lower with October selling down from 12.93 to 12.80 and closing at 12.81. The general list closed steady at a net decline of 18 points on June and of 9 to 14 points on later deliveries.

The opening was steady at an advance of three points to a decline of one point. There was considerable buying by Liverpool houses and some further covering to even scattering short accounts for over the government report tomorrow.

This demand was very readily supplied, however, and prices soon eased off with active months selling about 9 to 11 points net lower during the early afternoon. Rallies of 4 or 5 points followed on trade buying which seemed to become a little more active around 12.80 for October and covering of shorts but the market eased off again later under continued liquidation and expectations that the government report tomorrow will show a condition well up to the 10-year average. July sold off from 12.83 to 12.67, or into new low ground for the movement, while December declined from 13.08 to 12.94, and January from 13.14 to 13.00. Closing prices were at practically the lowest point of the day.

	Open	High	Low	Close
July	12.81	12.83	12.65	12.66
October	12.92	12.93	12.80	12.81
December	13.08	13.08	12.94	12.95
January	13.14	13.15	13.00	13.01
March	13.27	13.27	13.14	13.14

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 12.80; sales 2,200 bales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 12.63; receipts, 402; stock, 56,502.

Galveston—Middling 12.90; receipts 2,986; sales 2,445; stock 198,141.

Mobile—Middling 1,262; receipts 246; stock 28, 633.

Savannah—Middling 1,275; receipts 1,897; sales 475; stock 125,823.

Charleston—Middling 12 3-8; receipts 402; stock 56,502.

Wilmington—Middling, 12¼; receipts, 151; stock, 70,321.

Norfolk—Middling, 12.63; receipts, 1,100; sales, 1,277; stock, 77,306.

Baltimore—Exports, 990; stock, 1,909.

Boston—Middling, 12.90; stock, 8,100.

Philadelphia—Middling, 13.05; stock, 1,825.

New York — Middling, 12.80; stock, 221,298.

Minor Ports—Stock, 17,660.

Total today—Receipts, 11,797; exports, 10,447; stock, 1,079,629.

Total for week—Receipts, 63,631; exports, 83,783.

Total for season—Receipts, 7,026,696; exports, 4,963,500.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 12.90; receipts, 775; shipments, 3,433; sales, 229; stock, 67,959.

Memphis — Middling, 13.00; receipts, 433; shipments, 2,272; sales, 700; stock, 119,406.

Augusta — Middling, 12.56; receipts, 142; shipments, 279; sales, 153; stock, 94,209.

St. Louis—Middling, 13.00; receipts, 4,631; shipments, 4,636; stock, 14,181.

Cincinnati — Receipts, 1,054; shipments, 525; stock, 10,576.

Little Rock—Middling, 12.88; receipts, 18; shipments, 1,211; sales, 1,211; stock, 20,558.

Dallas—Middling, 12.45.

Montgomery—Middling, 12.37.

Total today — Receipts, 7,103; shipments, 12,356; stock, 326,889.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, May 31. — Cotton: Spot, steady; good middling, 8.72; middling, 8.56; low middling, 8.36; sales, 10,000; 1,000 for speculation and export. Receipts, 10,000. Futures, barely steady. June, 8.22½; June-July, 8.17½; July-August, 8.14; August-September, 8.08; September-October, 7.96; October-November, 7.87½; November-December, 7.81½; December-January, 7.78½; January-February, 7.76; February-March, 7.75½; March-April, 7.74½; April-May, 7.73½; May-June, 7.73.

Official noon closing: May, 8.30½ value; May and June, 8.28½ value.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, May 31. — Cotton seed oil made a firmer showing on covering of shorts and some new buying on the late firmness in lard, talk of export business and very light offerings in all positions. Final prices were 3 to 13 points net lower. Sales, 17,400 barrels.

Closed firm. Spot, 10.95; June, 10.95@11.05; July, 10.95@10.96; August, 10.99@11.00; September, 10.98@11.00; October, 10.13@10.14; November, 9.36@9.37; December, 9.23@9.25; January, 9.23@9.27. Total sales, 17,500.

New York, May 31. — Mercantile paper, 3¼. Sterling sixty day bills, 4.72¾; demand, 4.75¾; cables, 4.76½. Bar silver, 46. Mexican dollars, 52¾. Government bonds, heavy; railroad bonds, firm. Time loans, easy; sixty and ninety days and six months, 2¾@3. Call money, easy; ruling rate, 2½.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New Orleans, May 13.—Selling out by longs in July was the out-standing feature of the cotton market here today and the liquidation sent prices 10 to 11 points under yesterday's closing level. No strength was shown at any time, although there were fitful periods of steadiness. The close was steady at a net loss of 9 to 10 points.

On the opening July lost four points while the other trading months were steadier and showed no losses. After the call the most active months rose to 3 to 4 points over yesterday's closing level. From the middle of the morning on there was much pressure from liquidating longs and values fell off.

Weather conditions were considered favorable and the forecast of fair wealther prompted selling of the new crops. The liquidation was prompted chiefly by the forthcoming bureau report on condition tomorrow, the trade expecting the report to show a condition of about 80 per cent. of the normal. July 12.56; October 12.63; December 12.75; January 12.86; March 12.99.

Spot cotton steady, unchanged; sales on the spot 1,195; to arrive 100, middling 12.62.

HEAVY DECLINE IN WHEAT

Prices Go to the Lowest Level Since March—However, Rallies Follow With the Close Unsettled.

Chicago, May 31. — Declines to the lowest prices since last March took place in the wheat market today because of huge stocks in store and afloat and as a result of improved domestic crop reports. Closing quotations, however, were unsettled, ranging from 2½ down to a shade advance, with July at $1.07½@⅝, and September at $1.09.

Corn finished ¼@⅜c. to 2¼c. up; oats unchanged to ¼c. lower, and provisions irregular, varying from 15c. decline to a rise of 20 cents. Close:

Wheat—July, 1.07½; September, 1.08.
Corn—July, 69⅞; September, 69⅞.
Oats—July, 39⅝; September, 38½.
Pork—July, 21.30; September, 21.50.
Lard—July, 12.52; September, 12.65.
Ribs—July, 12.40; September, 12.50.
Cash grain:
Wheat—No. 2, red, nominal; No. 3, red, 1.03@1.03⅝; No. 2, hard, 1.05@1.08; No. 3, hard, 95@1.06½.
Corn—No. 2, yellow, 70; No. 4, yellow, 69½; No. 4, white, 66@66¼.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 3,288 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.) 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—38c.

ROSIN—$4.00 and $3.80.

TAR—$1.90-9c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 38½c.; rosin, $2.60; tar, $1.60-7½c.; crude turpentine, $2.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine ..... (—)
Rosin ..... (—)
Tar 41
Crude Turpentine 4

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 38 casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 35 barrels; crude turpentine, 10 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—12¼c.; quotations same day last year, 8½c.

Receipts—151 bales; same day last year, 1 bale.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 197,365 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 271,543 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—151 bales cotton; 71 barrels tar; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—151 bales cotton; 71 barrels tar; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, May 31.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 50c per bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.00.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 11c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 8@10c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 17c.; first class, 28c.

HIDES—Green salt, 13c. to 14c.; dry, flint, 17@20c per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 18c.; sides and shoulders, 14c. to 15c. per pound, good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 25c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 50c. to 55c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head. Geese, 55c to 60c per head. Ducks, 35c to 50c owing to quality. Turkeys, 18c per lb. alive.; 20c to 22c dressed.

EGGS—18c. and 19c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, May 31.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., May 31.—Spanish—Farmers' stock—Market stronger. Holders asking $7.05 per bushel.

Virginias—Farmers' stock—Market, steady. Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; Fancy hand picked, 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling stock, 2½c. to 3c. per lb.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 31. — Hogs—Lower. Bulk, 9.55@9.70; light, 9.05@9.65; mixed, 9.35@9.70; heavy, 9.25@9.75; rough, 9.25@9.35; pigs, 7.00@9.90.

Cattle—Firm. Native beef cattle, 8.35@11.05; stockers and feeders, 6.00@9.00; cows and heifers, 4.50@9.80; calves, 8.00@11.25.

Sheep—Strong. Wethers, 7.00@8.15; ewes, 4.75@7.65; lambs, 8.00@10.50; spring, 8.50@11.75.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, May 31. — Beeves—Steady. Steers, 8.00@10.65; bulls, 6.00@9.00; cows, 4.00@8.00.

Calves—Steady. Veals, 9.00@12.50; culls, 7.00@8.50; skim milk calves, 7.00@7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Weak. Sheep, 5.00@7.00; culls, 3.50@4.50; yearlings, 7.00@9.00; lambs, 11.50@12.50; culls, 10.00.

Hogs—Steady. Light to heavy, 9.50@10.10; rough, 8.50@8.75.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, May 31. — Sugar — Raw, steady; centrifugal, 6.39; molasses, 5.62; refined, steady.

Butter—Rarely steady.

Cheese—Steady.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 9¾; Santos, No. 4, 10¾.

RAILS ARE LITTLE ACTIVE

Pools and Cliques in Special Stocks Contributed Largely to the Professional Market.

New York, May 31.—Operations of pools and cliques in special stocks contributed very largely to today's obviously professional market. Except for Lehigh Valley and Reading, which were active and strong at times, the railway list was quiet. Norfolk and Western, however, rose to the new high price of 125 3-8, allowing for the reduction of its regular and extra dividens of 2 3-4 per cent. Other standard stocks were obscured by the prominence of Motors, Rubber, minor steel and iron issues, Mercantile Marine preferred and some of the munitions. New maximums were registered by Chandler Motors, which rose 3 1-2 to 108 1-2, and Lee which rose 1 3-4 to 54 1-4. Mexicans, particularly oils, were disposed to advance at the outset, but lost considerable ground later on publication of the tenor of the Carranza note. International Harvester issues were strong and copper and Zinc shares were under reduced pressure.

The hollow character of the day's trading was evidenced by the ease with which prices shaded in the final hour Reading leading the decline and changing various early gains to moderate net losses. Total sales 355,000 shares.

Bonds were firm, Canadian 5s making a new high quotation at 101 5-8. Total sales par value $4,185,000. United States coupon 2s declined 1-4 per cent on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	27½
American Beet Sugar	76
American Can	56½
American Car and Foundry	59½
American Cotton Oil	53
American Locomotive	72½
American Smelting	97—
American Sugar	112¾
American Tel. and Tel	129⅝
American Tobacco	202½
Anaconda Copper	84¼
Atchison	105½
Atlantic Coast Line	112½
Baldwin Locomotive	88½
Baltimore and Ohio	91⅜
Bethlehem Steel	445
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88⅜
Canadian Pacific	178¾
Central Leather	54
Chesapeake and Ohio	62⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	98¼
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	21
Consolidated Gas	138
Continental Can	102
Crucible Steel	83⅝
Erie	38⅝
General Electric	172
Great Northern, pfd	121
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	40
Illinois Central	104
Interborough Consol. Corp	18
Kansas City Southern	26⅝
Lehigh Valley	83
Louisville and Nashville	128½
Liggett and Meyers	245
Lorillard Co	212½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	11
Missouri Pacific	6¼
Mexican Petroleum	109
National Lead	67
New York Central	106
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	61
Norfolk and Western, ex. div	125
Northern Pacific	113½
Pennsylvania	57⅝
Reading	101½
Rep. Iron and Steel	47¼
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	37½
Sloss-Sheff. Steel and Iron	54
Studebaker Corp	138⅛
Southern Pacific	98½
Southern Railway	22¾
Southern Railway, pfd	65⅛
Tennessee Copper	43¼
Texas Co	193⅜
Texas and Pacific	11¾
Union Pacific	140
United States Rubber	55¾
United States Steel	85⅜
United States Steel, pfd	117
Utah Copper	80¾
Virginia-Caro. Chem	42
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	51
Wabash, pfd., "B" Ctfs	28½
Western Union	95½
Westinghouse Electric	61⅝
United Fruit	159
Kennecott Copper	54½

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, May 31. — Turpentine—Firm, 38¼@38½; sales, 270; receipts, 665; shipments, 117; stock, 11,021.

Rosin — Firm. Sales, 5.78; receipts, 1,290; shipments, 3,946; stock, 53,581. Quote: A, B, C, D, 4.85; E, F, 5.00; G, 5.00; H, 5.05; I, 5.10; K, 5.25; M, 5.30; N, 5.45; W G, 5.55; W W, 5.75.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

June 1, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 66 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .07 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 3.35 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 5.4 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair Thursday; Friday fair east, local showers west portion.

The Port Calendar, June 1, 1916.

Sun rises ..... 5:01 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 7:18 P. M.
Day's length ..... 14 hrs. 17 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	10:00	10:27	5:25	5:26
Southport	8:07	8:33	2:21	2:14
Masonboro Inl	7:56	8:22	2:01	1:54

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

May 31, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	cldy	90	74	.0
Asheville	cldy	72	56	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	84	60	.0
Augusta	clear	86	64	.0
Baltimore	clear	72	—	.0
Birmingh	clear	84	62	.0
Boston	pt cldy	70	60	.0
Charleston	clear	84	68	.0
Charlotte	clear	78	62	.0
Chicago	cldy	64	50	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	84	76	.0
Jacksonv.	clear	88	68	.02
Memphis	cldy	84	66	.0
Mobile	clear	90	72	.0
Montgom'y	clear	88	66	.0
New Orl.	clear	92	64	.04
New York	clear	70	60	.0
Oklahoma	claer	88	68	.0
Palestine	clear	90	70	.0
Pittsburg	clear	68	52	.0
Raleigh	clear	78	64	.0
Savannah	clear	86	68	.0
Shreveport	cldy	90	70	.0
St. Louis	cldy	74	58	.0
Washing'n	clear	72	60	.0

PLIGHT OF THE PARTIES

Their Positions as Seen by Sarcastic Observers.

("Girard," in Philadelphia Ledger.)

Within the week I heard an avowed Republican candidate for President of the United States utter this remark:

"The Republican party is trying to stand on one leg and to progress on the other leg."

Whereupon a listener observed: "But its watchful waiting policy has made the Democratic party stand like a bird dog, with one leg in the air and its tail pointing directly backward."

"Oh, well, yawned a third man, who is bored by the mere mention of T. R.'s name, "they are both beter off than the Bull Moose, which has all feet in the grave."

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CONVICTS 'STRIKE' AND FORCE A 'RESIGNATION'

"Walking Boss," Under Sentence for Cruelty, Quits.

Lenoir Board of Commissioners Hurriedly Modify Regulations as to Whipping Convicts—Breeze Blows Over.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., May 31.—In mute protest against the much-discussed "whipping" regulations in force in the Lenoir county convict camp, a score or more of black wearers of the stripes went "on strike" and forced the "resignation" of E. W. Mincher, a 240-pound "walking boss" convicted in superior court last week of cruelty to prisoners and sentenced to 12 months in jail, county officials admit today. No attempt will be made to reinstate Mincher—at least, not until after the supreme court has passed on an appeal from the judgment by W. M. Bond which sent the husky guard to jail. Mincher is at liberty under $1,500 bail pending the hearing of the appeal.

When the negro convicts were summoned to work by Mincher the last man refused to move. They would not talk. Mincher summoned Superintendent Bryant Taylor. The wagons and mules and shovels were waiting for the men. Taylor secured no satisfaction from them and he ordered all back to the cages, threatening to try the "bread-and-water" cure. The seeming determination of all was expressed by a voice from a portable cell that declared its owner would lie there and rot before he would labor on bread and water. Two white "trusties" escaped during the "mutiny."

Hastily summoned, the board of county commissioners passed regulations which do not attempt to conceal modification of the "whipping" regulations. The most that can be done to a prisoner now, by the board's authority, is to give him five lashes for a first offense and ten for the second. A record of punishments must be kept and monthly reports made. There was never any record before.

Stories told in court last week were about how convicts were held prostrate by men at their hands and feet and necks or waists while the allegedly brutal Mincher, welding a strap a quarter of an inch thick, plied them with blows. Judge Bond received anonymous letters. One writer said he would be killed if he told his name.

Members of the board of commissioners declare that with the "personnel" of the chaingang as it is bodily punishment is a necessity in some instances. They are supporting the convicts' superintendent and Mincher and hope to get a new trial. Officials doubt that the brutality which Judge Bond declared the worst that had ever come to his knowledge has been perpetrated, but scores of persons hold the same opinion as Judge Bond.

With Mincher out, the men have returned to work.

CITY COUNCIL ADOPTS BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR

(Continued From Page Five.)

isted for some time, but did not appear in the budget adopted at the beginning of last year, coming into force later.

Councilman Jones called attention to the request of the employes of the city waterworks department that they be given a slight increase in wages. He pointed out that they have to work seven days in the week and are on duty 12 hours a day. It appealed to him as being a very meritorious proposition and stated that personally he would like very much to see something done for them. The firemen get $2 a day for their work and the majority of the members of Council thought this a fair remuneration for the kind of work done.

Councilman McCaig stated that without making any reflection on any other member of Council, he desired to call attention to the fact that Councilman Bunting, in charge of the fire department, had not only not exceeded the appropriation made in the budget last year but had lacked $100 of using it all. He thought this worthy of commendation. Mayor Moore agreed with Councilma nMcCaig and declared that Mr. Bunting deserved th ethanks of the entire Council.

The budget as adopted yesterday follows:

Salaries.	
Mayor	$ 2,500.00
Councilmen; six at $600	3,600.00
Clerk and treasurer	2,400.00
Tax collector	1,500.00
Attorney	1,800.00
Engineer	1,800.00
Rodman	720.00
Stenographer	840.00
Custodian City Hall	900.00
License inspector	1,000.00
Total	$17,060.00
Fuel, lights, etc.	700.00
Audit of books	300.00
Mayor's charity fund	300.00
Tax listing	500.00
Library	1,800.00
Repairs, city hall	300.00
Repairs, library	500.00
Furniture and fixtures	200.00
Elections	750.00
Insurance	100.00
Stationery and incidentals	1,500.00
Total	$24,010.00
Police.	
Salaries:	
Chief	$ 1,800.00
Captain	1,140.00
Sergeants (4)	4,014.00
Privates (34)	31,025.00
Subs and specials	1,200.00
Patrol driver	900.00
Electrical inspector	100.00
Total salaries	$40,180.00
Uniforms	$ 1,500.00
Detectives	500.00
Repairs and new equipment	500.00
Hire and upkeep 9 bicycles	540.00
Lights, fuel, gasoline, oils	1,200.00
Military	600.00
Police pension fund	500.00
Incidentals	600.00
Police calls, wiring etc.	500.00
Bloodhounds	600.00
Total	$47,520.00
Fire.	
Salaries:	
Chief	$ 1,800.00
Assistant chief	1,200.00
Engineer and foreman	1,060.00
Foremen (2)	2,000.00
Assistant foremen (6)	5,400.00
Captain fire boat	1,000.00
Supt. fire arm	1,060.00
Chauffeurs (3)	2,700.00
Privates (19 $720 o $840	15,460.00
Total	$ 31,680.00
Uniforms	1,500.00
Fire boat	200.00
Fire alarm	800.00
Repairs, house furnish'gs, etc	700.00
Repairs, equnipment	500.00
Keep of teams	1,150.00
Fuel, lights, etc.	1,000.00
Insurance	100.00
New hose, (1,000 feet)	1,200.00
Pension fund	500.00
Incidentals	400.00
Total	$ 39,730.00
Streets and Wharves.	
Salaries:	
Superintendent	$ 1,500.00
Laborers (45 $1.75 per day)	24,570.00
Foremen (3) $12 per week	1,872.00
Engineer (1)	1,040.00
Nights works	3,000.00
Total salaries	$ 31,982.00
Material for repairs streets	7,000.00
Drainage	1,000.00
New teams	500.00
Keep of teams	6,000.00
Parks	1,000.00
Play grounds	500.00
Repairs and equipment	1,000.00
Insurance	100.00
Incidentals	300.00
Total	$ 49,382.00
Garbage and Scavenger Work.	
Superintendent	$ 1,300.00
Laborers (7, $10.50 per wk)	3,822.00
Laborers (1, $10 per wk)	520.00
Laborers (6, $9 per week	2,808.00
Total salaries	$ 8,450.00
Keep of teams (12)	2,700.00
Repairs and equipment	450.00
Collectors	1,440.00
Rent disposal plant	300.00
Disinfectants	150.00
Total	$ 13,490.00
Markets.	
Clerk	$ 822.00
Repairs	650.00
Fuel, lights, etc.	300.00
Insurance	100.00
Incidetals	100.00
Total	$ 1,972.00
Street Lighting.	
Arcs (127) at $57.50	$ 7,301.00
Tungstens (203) at $9.24	3,936.00
Gas (147) at $24	3,528.00
Arches (43) at 75.24	3,335.00
For additions during year	900.00
Total	$ 19,000.00
Health and Hospital	
James Walker Memo. Hosp.	$ 10,000.00
Tuberculosis hospital	1,800.00
Board of health $25,480; citys' three quarters	19,110.00
Total	$ 30,910.00
Coupon and Interest Account.	
Coupons:	
General	$ 40,000.00
Water bonds	22,500.00
Sewer bonds	11,000.00
Street improvements	18,000.00
Total	$ 91,500.00
Interest	$ 4,000.00
Sinking fund	3,500.00
Total	$ 99,000.00
Summary.	
General expense account	$ 24,010.00
Police	47,520.00
Fire	39,730.00
Streets and wharves	49,382.00
Garbage and scavenger	13,490.00
Markets	1,792.00
Lights	19,000.00
Health and hospitals	30,910.00
Coupon and interest account	99,000.00
Water and sewerage	61,671.00
Total	$325,114.000
Water and Sewerage.	
General expenses:	
Superintendent	$ 1,800.00
Bookkeeper	1,200.00
Stenographer	780.00
Stationery, postage, incidentals	0.0
stationery, post'ge, Incid'ls.	900.00
Total	$ 4,680.00
Water Department (Operating):	
Pumping station—	
Engineer	$ 1,800.00
Night engineer	912.50
Firemen (2)	1,460.00
Pipefitter	819.00
Repairs, meters	456.25
Laborers	602.25
Filtermen (3)	2,094.25
Total	$ 8,144.25
Fuel	$ 1,000.00
Repairs, machinery, bld'gs	543.75
Miscellaneous supplies	600.00
Repairs to filters	250.00
Chemicals	11,000.00
City:	
Assistant superintendent	$ 1,200.00
Foreman	1,003.75
Inspectors (2) at $1,020 and $704.25	1,724.25
Inspector and messenger (1)	821.25
Laborers (6) 1, $547.75, 5, $459.50	2,899.25
Keep of horse and vehicles	800.00
Repairs to main, hydrants, meter, etc.	350.00
New team	200.00
Total	$ 8,494.50
Water Dept. Construction:	
Mains, hydrants, valves	200.00
Services and small mains	1,000.00
New meters	6,000.00
Total	$ 7,200.00
Sewer Department. (Operating):	
Assistant superintendent	$ 1,200.00
Inspector	939.00
Paver	547.75
Driver	547.75
Laborers (4)	956.25
Keep of team	300.00
Repairs	500.00
Electric cur. disposal plant	1,820.00
Engineer, disposal plant	547.75
Total	$ 8,358.50
Sewer Department, (Construction):	
Manholes and flush tanks	300.00
Pipe and other supplies	500.00
Tools	100.00
Total	$ 61,671.00
Total other departments	$325,114.00
Grand total	$386,785.00

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF CARS.

Of Suburban Line to Wrightsville Beach Goes on Saturday.

On Saturday the regular summer schedule of trains to the beach will be put into effect on the beach line. Under this schedule a half hour service to the beach is maintained from early morning until late at night. This schedule for week days is as follows:

Leave Wilmington for the beach at 6:15, 6:55, 7:25, 8:00 A. M., and every half hour until 5:30 P. M., 6:10, 6:30 P. M., and every half hour until 11:00 P. M., 12:10 A. M.

Leave beach at 6:05, 7:10, 7:40, 8:15 A. M. and every half hour until 5:45 P. M., 6:20, 6:50, 7:15 P. M. and every half hour until 1145 P. M.

The freight train will make four trips daily through the week, leaving Ninth and Orange streets at 6:00 and 9:30 A. M. and 3:30 and 7:00 P. M.

Don Richardson's Orchestra will be at Lumina Saturday night.—Advertisement.

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DENOUNCES ALLIANCE OF GERMAN-AMERICANS

Roosevelt Declares Organization Guilty of Moral Treason.

Says President Wilson's Memorial Day Address was Weak and That Words Used in His Phrases Made Them Meaningless.

St. Louis, May 31.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt made three speeches in St Louis today in which he advocated universal military service, declared the German-American alliance was guilty of moral treason and anti-Americanism and denounced President Wilson's Memorial Day speech as weak. Cheering crowds greeted him.

Colonel Roosevelt maintained that President Wilson used "easel" words, which sucked the life out of his phrases and made them meaningless.

"When Mr. Wilson speaks of 'universal voluntary training,'" he asserted, "he draws a parallel to a truancy law which would make universal attendance by children at school obligatory to all except those who wanted to keep away."

Mr. Roosevelt averred that he thought well of Mr. Bryan and Mr. Ford. "I like them in private life," he added. "They are nice, amiable men. But I cannot join them in any wild mental joy rides which is what I should be compelled to do if I should take their ideas seriously."

Colonel Roosevelt addressed the largest crowd at the City Club in the afternoon where he said that neutrality that allowed trampling on American rights could not be tolerated and that there could be no Americans who were not Americans to the heart.

"I denounce the German-American Alliance with all my soul," he shouted. "The acts of leaders constitute moral treason to our government and our people."

Colonel Roosevelt left late in the afternoon for Newark, N. J., where he will speak Thursday night.

DR. REID IS IMPRESSED WITH WILMINGTON PLAN

Charlotte Health Officer Commends Health Administration Here.

Profoundly impressed with the efficiency of Wilmington's health department and the practicability of its plan of administration, Dr. W. K. Reid, Charlotte's superintendent of health, has returned to that city after spending two days in the City-by-the-Sea, says yesterday's Charlotte Observer.

"Wilmington," The Observer quotes Dr. Reid as saying, "has a central head known as the health officer. All other sections of the city department work directly through him and are responsible to him for the conduct of the work of their several positions.

"Wilmington although much smaller in area than Charlotte, has seven sanitary inspectors and their work is a model of thoroughness. When one of them visits a home he studies not only the sanitary conditions, but makes a note of any sickness in the home. That city has a directory and a card-index system combined, which makes clear to the reader exactly how many people there are in each family. This frequently clarifies the situation and simplifies the handling of certain problems when they arise.

"Two automobiles, two motorcycles, a horse and buggy and other equipment are used. The sum of $25,000 annually is spent on this one department.

"Wilmington has an up-to-date city charity hospital with a capacity of 50 patients. It has a hospital for tuberculosis patients, of whom it can care for 28. It has a child's hospital which had 14 inmates when I visited it.

"In 1911 there were 300 cases of typhoid fever in Wilmington and 28 deaths. Then Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, a live-wire health officer, was placed in charge. What do you suppose the record was for 1915? There were 24 cases of typhoid fever and only two deaths.

"What salary is this health officer paid?" asked The Observer man.

"About $2,500 or $3,000 a year," was the reply. "The department is adequately equipped and it works efficiently."

Dr. Reid is anxious to raise the standard of efficiency of the Charlotte health department, says The Observer. Not more than half of the cases of measles, he remarked, are reported, for the reason that many of the patients do not have any physician. He believes strongly in a co-ordinated department, with one executive head to whom all the others are responsible.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS BILL WILL BE REPORTED AT THIS SESSION

Contains Godwin Items—Hood is a Member—Cannon Gets Contract.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., May 31.—The House committee on public buildings and grounds voted today to report a public buildings bill before the present session adjourns. The bill will be reported to the House soon after the conventions at Chicago and St. Louis adjourn.

Representative Godwin has several items in the bill, one for the building at Lumberton and a site at Dunn. If upon examination the receipts of these two cities show that they are large enough to meet the requirements for a public building, the bill will carry appropriations for both places.

Representative Hood, a member of the committee, has done a great work for the State as a member of this committee. He has worked day and night in an effort to get appropriations for the State and his services are appreciated by the other members of Congress.

The Postoffice Department today awarded the contract for carrying the mail in screen wagons from the Wilmington postoffice to the railroad station to W. A. Cannon, of Wilmington. Cannon will receive $4,200 a year for the service.

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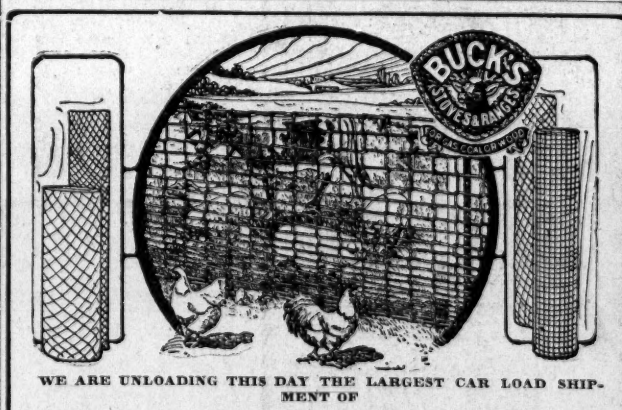

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